

STANDARD INSTALLATION  
TOPIC EXCHANGE SERVICE



RELOCATION INFORMATION FOR

Bamberg  
Germany

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## Installation

### Installation Overview

For more information on this subject:  
<http://www.bamberg.army.mil>

**WELCOME TO BAMBERG, GERMANY!** Bamberg has been called Germany's Dream City, Franconian Rome, and Town of Romanticism. The town holds over 1000 years of history. This is a golden opportunity to travel, explore, and experience the unique German culture as well as the surrounding European countries. We hope that you will enjoy your stay here.

**LOCATION** Bamberg is located in the center of Germany, approximately: -30 miles north of Nuernberg -126 miles east of Frankfurt

Warner Barracks is located on the east side of Bamberg. For specific directions on how to get to the installation see Must Know Items under category Installation.

**MISSION** The peacetime mission of the 279th BSB is to provide basic quality of life to the units within our community. In times of conflict or war, the mission is to process and deploy both forces and equipment throughout Germany and Europe.

**HISTORY OF WARNER BARRACKS** Warner Barracks has been occupied by American forces since the end of World War II. Prior to WWII, almost every branch of the German Army was stationed at Warner Barracks at some time. After World War II, the headquarters of the U.S. Constabulary was located in Bamberg. The Constabulary was a highly mobile unit made up of the 28th Infantry Regiment and the 1st Infantry Division. The unit was responsible for patrolling the American occupied quarter of Germany. In June 1948, the Soviets imposed the Berlin Blockade changing the United States' role in Germany from occupier to defender. The Constabulary was eventually phased out. The current Warner Barracks complex was appropriated in 1950 by U.S. forces and renamed in honor of CPL Henry Warner. Warner was killed in action in 1944 after his heroic anti-tank actions in Dom Budgenbach, Belgium. In 1991, the Bamberg military community became the 279th Base Support Battalion, under the 99th Area Support Group in Nuernberg, and in 1993, joined the 98th Area Support Group, based in Wuerzburg. For a thorough

history of the installation, make reference to the Installation's Internet Home Page.

### Must Know Items

If this is your first trip to Europe, you will find the information listed below useful.

**CURRENCY** The german currency is the Deutsche Mark (DM). It is recommended that all incoming personnel have some Deutsche Marks for incidental expenses. You may exchange dollars for marks inside the airport, at banks on and off post and at local Finance Centers. The exchange rate fluctuates on a daily basis.

**DIRECTIONS FROM FRANKFURT AIRPORT** Incoming personnel and family members can get from Frankfurt airport to Warner Barracks in one of three ways.

By car - Take Autobahn A3 towards Wuerzburg. Continue past Wuerzburg for approximately 35-40 miles and take the B505 (Pommersfeldon) exit. Follow B505 to Autobahn A73. Take the Bamberg Ost exit, turn left toward Bamberg and turn right at the first light.

By train - There is a train station (Bahnhof) inside the Frankfurt Terminal. There are signs directing you to the ticket booth. The train will take you into Bamberg. You can then take the #1 or #2 Bus outside of the Bahnhof to post.

By air - It is only about 30 miles by motorway to the nearest civil airport, Nueremberg to Bamberg.

**ELECRICAL CURRENT** The electrical current in Europe is 220 volts compared to 110 volts in the States. If you live off post, you will have to use transformers to run your American 110 Volt appliances. Transformers range anywhere from \$20 - \$200. In some of the on post government quarters there are both 110V and 220V outlets.

**TELEPHONE ACCESS** To call Bamberg from a civilian line in the states: - to a military number, dial 011-49-951-300-xxxx (last four digits of the military number) - to a civilian number, dial 011-49-951-xxxxx To call Bamberg from a military line in the states: DSN 469-xxxx (last four of the military number)

**UNACCOMPANIED BAGGAGE** Refrigerators, stoves, washers and dryers are provided by the housing office. The ACS Relocation Loan Closet

provides your basic kitchen utensils, pots and pans, and some baby items that you can borrow while waiting for your household goods to arrive. The Loan

Closet does not provide linens, blankets, or pillows. See Relocation Overview for more information.

### Must Know Items

<b>--Installation--</b>	
Site Name	Bamberg
Last Updated	March 09, 2000
Country	Germany
County	
ZIP Code	AE
Service	USA
Host Command	279th Base Support Battalion
Physical Size	3347
<b>--Phones--</b>	
DSN Country Code	
DSN Number	469-7777
Commercial Country Code	49-
Commercial Area Code	951-
Commercial Number	300-7777
FAX DSN Country Code	
FAX DSN Number	469-7778
FAX Commercial Country Code	49-
FAX Commercial Area Code	951-
FAX Commercial Number	300-7778
<b>--Official Mailing Address--</b>	
Street Line 1	Commander, ATTN: AETV-WG-BJA
Street Line 2	Unit 27535
City	Bamberg
Overseas P.O.	APO AE
ZIP Code	09139
<b>--Deliverable Address--</b>	
Street Line 1	Army Community Service - Bldg. 7029
Street Line 2	Weissenburg Str. 5
City	Bamberg
State/Territory	
ZIP Code	96052
E-Mail	site1375@cmtymail.98asg.army.mil

### Geographically Separated or Satellite Locations

Not Applicable

### Nearby Installations (Listed Separately in SITES)

<i>State/Country</i>	<i>Site Name</i>	<i>Service</i>	<i>Distance</i>
Germany	Kitzingen	USA	55 miles
Germany	Schweinfurt	USA	30 miles
Germany	Wuerzburg	USA	65 miles

## Regulations

<b>Name:</b> Driver Testing Station
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7119
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8600
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8600
<b>WWW Link:</b> <a href="http://rmv.hqusareur.army.mil/regulatj.htm">http://rmv.hqusareur.army.mil/regulatj.htm</a>
<p><b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0730-1200, 1230-1600; Closed German and American holidays</p> <p><b>DRIVER'S LICENSE</b> Status of Forces Agreement (SOFA) requires all U.S. personnel assigned to Germany to have a valid stateside license, a military vehicle operator's license, or a German license in order to be eligible for licensing and operating privately owned vehicles in the United States Army Europe(USAREUR). Family members are required to have either a valid stateside license or a German license. In order to obtain a USAREUR certificate, you must attend an orientation class. Classes are held every Monday and Wednesday from 0800 to 1100. Following the class at 1300 the test is given. There is a ten dollar charge for the issuing of a USAREUR drivers license, you may pay by check or money order. You will need to study the Driver's Testing Manual prior to attending the orientation. You can find a manual at the Testing Station (Bldg. 7119), the Community Library (Bldg. 7047), the In &amp; Out Processing area of the Army Community Service (Bldg. 7029) or via the internet. Personnel arriving without a valid stateside license will have to attend driver's training on the local economy at their own expense. Obtaining a local German driver's license costs approximately between DM 2,500 and 3,000. Personnel assigned to Germany traveling outside of the country are able to drive on their USARUER certificate in Allied countries only. Personnel driving in East Block countries must be in possession of a valid International License. Applications can be obtained at the Driver's Testing office. The minimum age for operation of a POV in Germany is 18.</p>

<b>Name:</b> Fishing & Hunting Licenses
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg 7682
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7583
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7583
<p><b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 1000-1800; Saturday and Sunday 0800-1800</p> <p><b>FISHING &amp; HUNTING LICENSE</b> In order to obtain a fishing or hunting license, you must first take a class. Both classes and licenses require a fee. The fishing class is offered in Bamberg at the Rod and gun Club. The hunting license is offered in Kitzigen through their Rod and Gun Club. DSN 355-8609 There is a Skeet Range on Warner Barracks. The Skeet Range is open on Sundays from 1200-1600.</p>

<b>Name:</b> Passport & ID Card Section
<b>Address:</b> 38th PSB, Unit 27525, Bldg 7290
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7858
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7858
<p><b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Wednesday 0900-1100, 1300-1600, Friday 0900-1100, 1300-1400; Closed Thursdays; Monday through Wednesday 1500-1530 Emergency walk-ins for ID cards</p> <p><b>PASSPORTS &amp; ID CARDS</b> If you need to renew your ID card while at Warner Barracks you must bring a copy of your orders with your extension or new reenlistment date. Form 1172 for family members and Form 428 for active duty personnel will be used when processing your data for a new ID card. If an ID card is lost or stolen you must complete an application and have it stamped by the Military Police verifying that the card has been reported missing. Once you have the correct forms you can call 38th PSB for an appointment.</p>

<b>Name:</b> Vehicle Registration
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg 7108
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7580
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7580
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Thursday 0800-1515; Friday 0800-1500  <b>VEHICLE REGISTRATION AND POV PICK-UP</b> Accompanied personnel are authorized two Privately Owned Vehicles (POVs) and two motorized and non-motorized recreational POVs. Unaccompanied or single personnel are authorized one POV and one motorized recreational POV. Requests for waivers to the limit of POVs registered will be approved by the Base Support Battalion (BSB) Commander. Personnel stationed in Bamberg whose POVs are shipped at government expense will have their POVs delivered to Conn Barracks, Bldg. 35 in Schweinfurt, Germany. A bus is provided for POV pickup leaving from Bamberg's ACS, Bldg. 7029, Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 1000 going to Schweinfurt. The shuttle bus leaves Schweinfurt returning to Bamberg at 1100. On the day of arrival, owners with a valid USAREUR Driver's certificate will process through the field registration station. You will need: Form 190-1AA, a double white insurance card, DD Form 788, proof of ownership, valid USAREUR Drivers License and ID card and a fifteen dollar check or money order. You must have all of these

documents prior to receiving a temporary registration card and car plates. It is required that you take care of the pre-registration paper work in Bamberg. After picking up your vehicle you must take it through inspection in Schweinfurt. In order to pass inspection you will have to purchase a First Aid kit and warning triangle that will remain in your POV. If the POV passes inspection, the owner will be issued AE Form 190-1A which will be valid for one year. Your car must be re-registered and inspected annually, this can be done in Bamberg at the Vehicle Inspection building. Bldg 7102 The last inspection will be at 1515. DSN 469-8892

### Commonly Referenced Numbers

To call from the United States to Bamberg, you would dial: the access code - country code - city code - telephone number. The access code is 011, the country code for Germany is 49 and the city code for Bamberg is 0951 (drop the 0 when calling outside of Germany). Example: 011-49-951-xxxx

To call from a civilian phone to a military line in Bamberg you would drop the "469", and use "300" to access a military number. Example: 011-49-951-300-xxxx



### Commonly Referenced Numbers

<i>Name</i>	<i>Commercial</i>	<i>DSN</i>
38th Personnel Service Battalion	011-49-951-300-7514	469-7514
American Red Cross	011-49-951-300-7785	469-7785
Army Community Service	011-49-951-300-7777	469-7777
Bamberg Inn (Billeting)	011-49-951-300-1700	469-1700
Bamberg Veterinary Clinic	011-49-951-300-7972	469-7972
Budget Car Rental (on post)	011-49-951-36501	-
Central Processing Facility	011-49-951-300-7714	469-7714
Child Development Services	011-49-951-300-7716	469-7716
Civilian Personnel Advisory Center	011-49-951-300-8812	469-8812
Commissary	011-49-951-300-8819	469-8819
Community Bank	011-49-951-300-8778	469-8778
Community Staff Duty Officer	011-49-951-300-7492	469-7492
Customs Office	011-49-951-300-8665	469-8665
Dental Clinic	011-49-951-300-8895	469-8895
Education Center	011-49-951-300-7715	469-7715
Elementary School	011-49-951-300-7616	469-7616
Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP)	011-49-951-300-8547	469-8547
Federal Credit Union	011-49-951-300-7657	469-7657
Finance/Travel Section	011-49-951-300-7423	469-7423
Health Clinic	011-49-951-300-1750	469-1750
High School	011-49-951-300-8874	469-8874
Housing Office	011-49-951-300-8808/7654	469-8808/7654
Information, Referral & Follow-Up Program	011-49-951-300-7777	469-7777
Military Clothing and Sales	011-49-951-300-8684	469-8684
Military Police	011-49-951-300-8700/7770	469-8700/7770
Passports & ID's	011-49-951-300-7858	469-7858
Post Locator	011-49-931-889-8076	353-8076
Relocation Assistance Program	011-49-951-300-8855	469-8855
SATO Travel	011-49-951-7571	469-7571
Safety Officer	011-49-951-300-7527	469-7527
Security	011-49-951-300-8817	469-8817
Transportation Office	011-49-951-300-7408	469-7408
Vehicle pick-up and drop-off (Schweinfurt)	011-49-9721-803618	353-8010
Vehicle registration	011-49-951-300-7580	469-7580

### Major Unit Listing

Our post is made up of a very diverse number of units consisting of 1ID and V Corps. Many of the

troops have already or are preparing to deploy to the Balkins Region.

### Major Unit Listing

<i>Unit</i>	<i>Command</i>	<i>Point of Contact</i>	<i>Commercial</i>	<i>DSN</i>	<i>Fax</i>
1/33 Field Artillery Battalion		Staff Duty	011-49-951-300-8100/8094	469-8100/8094	011-49-951-300-8101
1/6 Field Artillery Battalion		Staff Duty	011-49-951-300-8768	469-8768	011-49-951-300-7780
106th Finance Battalion Detachment B		Staff Duty	011-49-951-300-1730	469-1730	011-49-951-300-7659
1st Infantry Division Band		Staff Duty	011-49-951-300-8404	469-8404	011-49-951-300-8440
1st Infantry Division Divarty		Staff Duty	011-49-951-300-8793/8867	469-8793/8867	011-49-951-300-8756
1st Infantry Division Engineer Brigade		Staff Duty	011-49-951-300-8652	469-8652	011-49-951-300-7736
200th Petroleum Management Division (PMD)		Chief of PMD	011-49-951-300-7882/7884	469-7882/7884	011-49-951-300-7845
240th Quartermaster Supply Co.		Commander	011-49-951-300-7189	469-7189	011-49-951-300-7823
262nd Military Police Detachment		Bavarian Field Office	011-49-951-300-469-7776/8826	469-7776	011-49-951-300-8550
303rd Support Group		Main Office	011-49-951-300-7791	469-7791	011-49-951-300-7734
30th Movement Control Team		NCOIC	011-49-951-300-7065	469-7065	011-49-951-300-7070
317th Maintenance		Staff Duty	011-49-951-300-7194	469-7194	011-49-951-300-7805
38th Personnel Service Battalion Detachment B		OIC	011-49-951-300-7514	469-7514	011-49-951-300-8635
54th Engineer Battalion		Staff Duty	011-49-951-300-8472	469-8472	011-49-951-300-7619
560th Military Police, 4th Platoon		Staff Duty	011-49-951-300-8702	469-8702	011-49-951-300-8612
566th Postal Company		Postal Office	011-49-951-300-8820	469-8820	011-49-951-300-8704
630th Military Police Company		Staff Duty	011-49-951-300-7631	469-7631	011-49-951-300-7515
71st Corps Support Battalion		Staff Duty	011-49-951-300-7194	469-7194	011-49-951-300-7079
793rd Military Police Battalion		Staff Duty	011-49-951-300-7245-7246	469-7245/7246	011-49-951-300-7237
7th Command		Staff Duty	011-49-951-300-	469-7144	011-49-951-

Support Group			7144		300-7175/7157
82nd Engineer Battalion		Staff Duty	011-49-951-300-8702	469-8702	011-49-951-300-7946
Bamberg Health Clinic		NCOIC	011-49-951-300-7689	469-7689	

## Transportation

Transportation in the area is excellent! Getting around Bamberg is a breeze and the Germans run right on schedule. Taxi cabs are plentiful and there are two bus lines that run past post. Conveniently located downtown is the Bahnhof, the German train station. Most representatives do speak a little English. There are also shuttle buses that can take you to the Frankfurt International Airport, the Wuerzburg Hospital, and Schweinfurt to pick up your POV.

<b>Name:</b> SATO Travel
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7109
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-935030
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-302577
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7571
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0800-1630, Closed German Holidays.  TRAVEL AGENT SATO Travel offers full travel services, special tours, cruises, airline rates, train rates, car rentals, etc.

## Commissary and Exchange Operations

<b>Name:</b> Bamberg Post Exchange (PX)
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7121
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-32562
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-34055
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8574
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday closed. Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 1000-1900, Thursday 1000-2000 & Weekends 1100-1800.  POST EXCHANGE/ FOUR SEASONS/ POWERZONE The Post Exchange (PX) facility on Warner Barracks is more than adequate to attend to the needs of the community. It carries a wide variety of clothing, jewelry, shoes, etc. There is an extensive range of services located inside the Main Exchange. These include a fax machine, copy machine, check cashing, postage stamps, DPP payments, purchasing of Duetsch Marks, lunch coupons and FTD flower ordering. In addition to the traditional Post Exchange and its services, Four Seasons sells toys, bicycles, gardening supplies, pet items, baby furniture, household appliances, cards, stationery, health and beauty items and household furniture while the PowerZone sells a wide selection of stereos, video games, video equipment, cameras, computers, computer software, CDs and accessories. You can also special order items.

<b>Name:</b> Burger King
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 6050
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-34292
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0630-2100, Saturday 0800-2030 & Sunday 0800-2000  BURGER KING The Burger King on Warner Barracks is identical to the franchise restaurants stateside.

<b>Name:</b> Car Care Center
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7027
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-32472
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7530
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0730-1800, Saturday 1000-1500, American Holidays 0730-1700, Closed German Holidays.  CAR CARE CENTER The Car Care Center has certified mechanics to assist in the repair and maintenance of your vehicle. They also sell car care products and parts.

<b>Name:</b> Commissary
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg 7123
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8819/7658
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8819/7658
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday Closed, Tuesday 1100-1900, Wednesday 1000-1800, Thursday 1200-2000, Friday 1100-1900, Saturday 1000-1700 & Sunday 1100-1700.  COMMISSARY Our Commissary has 1,200 square feet of space and 7 cashier lines for shoppers' convenience. All handicapped patrons are welcome to start shopping a half hour before published hours and may come through the customer exit doors. The Commissary has both a bakery and a deli shop. Both will fill special orders upon request. Coupons are accepted and can be redeemed up to six months after their expiration date. If you do not see an item in your commissary you can request that the commissary order you a case of the product. You must order a minimum of one case. Coffee and cigarettes are sold here, but you must have a ration card in order to purchase them.

<b>Name:</b> Food Court
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7116
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-32271
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8514
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Saturday & Sunday 1100-1800, Monday through Wednesday & Friday 1100-1900, Thursday 1100-2000.  FOOD COURT The Food Court offers six restaurants: Anthony's Pizza, Baskin Robbins Ice Cream, Frank's Franks, Robin Hood, Asian Food and Woody's Rotisserie. Frank's Franks serves hot dogs while Robin Hood offers subsandwiches. If it's chicken or ribs you want then Woody's Rotisserie is the place. Oriental food is served at Asian Food and of course pizza is offered at Anthony's Pizza. For dessert or an afternoon snack, there is always Baskin Robbins Ice Cream.

<b>Name:</b> Popeye's Chicken and Biscuits
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg.7698
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-9370114
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Sunday 1055 - 2105, Closed Thanksgiving and Christmas Days.  The Popeye's on Warner Barracks is identical to the franchise in the states.

<b>Name:</b> Service Mart/Dry Cleaning/Tailor
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7039
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-3039721
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 1000-1800 & Saturday 1000-1600.  SERVICE MART/ DRY CLEANING/ TAILOR This facility provides dry cleaning services, alterations, boot and shoe repairs, sewing, film developing, television rental, steam cleaning equipment and appliance repairs.

<b>Name:</b> Shoppette
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7698
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-35923
<b>WWW Link:</b> <a href="http://www.aafes.com">http://www.aafes.com</a>
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Sunday 24 Hours  SHOPPETTE The new and much larger Shoppette facility includes basic food items as well as the Class IV Store and video rental. Alcohol may be purchased here, remembering that hard liquor must be accompanied with a ration card. You may also special order cakes and purchase cut flowers and plants. The AAFES gas station is now with the Shoppette. The gas station dispenses fuel to authorized patrons with USAREUR registered POV's. Cash, checks and gas coupons are accepted

as payment. You must have a valid ID card and registration to purchase gasoline.

## Local Community

### Local Community Overview

The Bavarian city of Bamberg is situated in Upper Franconia about 30 miles north of Nuernberg and 3 miles south of the junction of the Regnitz and Main rivers. Because Bamberg was built on 7 hills, the residents like to compare it to Rome. Bamberg is one of Germany's most picturesque medieval towns with narrow winding streets and quaint architecture. The Regnitz River divides the city into two parts: "Bishop's Town" located on the west bank and the "Burgher's Town" on the east bank. The oldest sections of the city are found in "Bishop's Town".

### Time Zone Chart

<i>Location</i>	<i>Adjustment for GMT</i>
Pacific	-8
Mountain	-7
Central	-6
Eastern	-5
Greenwich (United Kingdom)	0
<b>Central European (Germany) ( Bamberg )</b>	<b>1</b>
East Asia (Japan)	9

### Climate

<i>Month</i>	<i>High</i>	<i>Low</i>	<i>Humidity</i>	<i>Precipitation</i>
January	32F	21F	92.5	1.85
February	36F	22F	92.9	1.53
March	45F	28F	91.1	1.69
April	54F	34F	87.6	1.62
May	63F	42F	83.2	2.22
June	69F	48F	85.5	2.94
July	73F	50F	84.1	2.67
August	72F	50F	90.4	2.42
September	65F	44F	93.6	1.98
October	55F	37F	93.8	1.75
November	42F	31F	94.5	1.96
December	35F	25F	95.2	2.16

## Events Calendar

**BAZAAR** The Bamberg Women's Club sponsors a bazaar every February. The "Bazaar with Heart" has vendors from all over Europe come to sell their goods. All of the money made goes back into the community.

**GERMAN/AMERICAN VOLKFEST** Every year in April the Community sponsors the German/American Volksfest. It lasts 10 days starting on a Friday and ending the following Sunday. The Volksfest is similar to a fair in the states. There are rides, games, fireworks, volksmarching, live bands, and beer. All of the money made goes back into the Community!

**4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION** Every year the Business Management Division sponsors a celebration on the 4th of July. It is located at Pendleton Field. They have volleyball nets set up, food and drinks for sale and games for both children and adults. The big extravaganza occurs once the sun goes down when the firework show begins.

**PROMOTIONAL FAIR** Every year in August the Bamberg Management Division puts on a Promotional Fair at the Warner Club. This event is free and open to the public. The purpose of this event is to get all of the agencies on post together. In this way newcomers can get information about the services that Warner Barracks has to offer.

**CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING CEREMONY** The Community Business Management Division puts on a grand show for the Christmas Tree Lighting every year. Refreshments and music are provided along with a visit from Santa Clause. The event is open to the public and is free.

**CHRISTMAS CONCERT** Every year the 1st Infantry Division Band performs a Christmas concert. The event is open to the community and is free of charge. The concert is located at the JFK gym, Bldg. 7673.

## Cultural Attractions

<b>Name:</b> Stadtisches Fremdenverkehrsamt
<b>Address:</b> Geyerswoerthstrasse 3
<b>City:</b> Bamberg 96052
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-871161
<b>Proximity to site:</b> 6 miles
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0900-1800 & Saturday 0900-1500  TOURIST OFFICE The Tourist Office is loaded with valuable information about Bamberg's cultural attractions such as the Altes Rathaus, Dom Cathedral, Neue Residenz and St. Michael Kirche. Most of the employees speak some English and you can ask for booklets in English.

## Recreation Opportunities

<b>Name:</b> Amusement Center
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7011
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8423
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8423
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Thursday 1100-2300, Friday & Saturday 1100-2400, Sunday & American holidays 1200-2200  AMUSEMENT CENTER The Amusement Center offers a television, video games and slot machines. Vending machines with snacks and beverages are available for purchase. Only ID cardholders and their guests, 18 years and older are admitted.

<b>Name:</b> Armed Forces Recreation Center (AFRC) - Chiemsee
<b>Address:</b> Chiemsee Reservations Unit 24604
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-8051-803170
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-8051-803158
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 440-2388
<b>WWW Link:</b> <a href="http://www.afrc europe.com">http://www.afrc europe.com</a>
<b>Proximity to site:</b> 150 miles
<b>Comments:</b>  <p>CHIEMSEE RESORT</p> <p>The Lake Hotel was built in 1937 by order of Adolf Hitler as the first Autobahn rest stop at a cost of more than 17 million Reichmarks. The hotel was renovated in 1995 and now all of the rooms offer either a view of the mountains or the lake. All rooms have a private bath, telephone, AFN radio and TV. AFRC Chiemsee offers a list of recreation programs that includes something for everyone. Some of the programs include: sailing, windsurfing, hang gliding, paragliding, scuba diving, tours, skiing, cross country skiing, camping and sight-seeing.</p>

<b>Name:</b> Armed Forces Recreation Center (AFRC) - Garmisch
<b>Address:</b> Central Reservations, AFRC Garmisch
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-8821-72981
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-8821-3942
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 440-2575
<b>E-Mail:</b> <a href="mailto:vacation@afrc.garmisch.army.mil">vacation@afrc.garmisch.army.mil</a>
<b>WWW Link:</b> <a href="http://www.afrc europe.com">http://www.afrc europe.com</a>
<b>Proximity to site:</b> 150 miles
<b>Comments:</b> <p>Hours for Reservation Desk: Monday through Friday 0700-2100, Saturday &amp; Sunday 0800-1800</p> <p>AFRC-GARMISCH</p> <p>AFRC offers a list of recreation programs that include something for everyone. Programs include: golf, mountain sports, tennis (indoor &amp; outdoor), tours, travel camp and water sports. Examples of tours that Garmisch offers are: Neuschwanstein Castle, Linderhof Castle, Tirolean Shopping, Vipiteno with Castle Reifenstein, Italy, Lake Garda, Venice City and Three Country Tour (Austria, Switzerland, Liechtenstein).</p>

<b>Name:</b> Arts and Crafts Shop
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7047
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8659
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8659
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> <p>Hours:</p> <p>Matting, Framing &amp; Workshop: Tuesday through Thursday 1230-2030, Friday &amp; Saturday 1000-1800</p> <p>ARTS AND CRAFTS SHOP</p> <p>Woodshop classes are provided every first and third Thursday while matting and framing classes are provided every second and fourth Thursday. Patrons are required to pay a small fee for shop usage which includes use of the tools and equipment. CRAFTERS KELLER: Sunday and Monday closed. Tuesday and Wednesday 1100-1800, Thursday 1230-1900, Friday 1100-1800 &amp; Saturday 1000-1400. Crafters Keller offers many items including fabric, candles, ribbon, yarn, memory supplies and rubber stamps. Also, there is a Portrait Studio offering photograph sittings and passport pictures. Photographs are taken by appointment only. There is a sitting fee starting at \$7.50</p>

<b>Name:</b> Auto Crafts Shop
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7038
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7546
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-31947
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7546
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> <p>Hours: Tuesday through Friday 1000-1900, Saturday &amp; Sunday 1000-1800 Closed Mondays and American Holidays</p> <p>AUTO CRAFTS SHOP</p> <p>The Auto Crafts Shop provides all the necessary tools to fix your vehicle, a towing service, un-operable vehicle storage, car wash and vacuums. An orientation class must be attended prior to using work bays. Qualified mechanics are available for advice. There are some fees involved.</p>

<b>Name:</b> Bowling Center
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7690
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7722
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-32932
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7722
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Tuesday through Thursday 1430-2300, Friday 1430-2400, Saturday 1200-0100 & Sunday 1200-2400. Closed Monday  BOWLING CENTER The Bowling Center offers special pricing for daytime bowling, Family Support Groups, Units and Private Organization sponsored functions. Thursdays offer special prices for families all day long. The Bowling Center helps integrate bowling into Organizational/Unit exercises for team building and unit cohesion.

<b>Name:</b> Entertainment Center (Stable Theater)
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7119
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-302433
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8647
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Box Office Hours: Tuesday through Friday 1700- 1900 Facility Usage Hours: Tuesday through Friday 1230-1530 & 1630-2030, Saturday 1230-1830  STABLE THEATER The Entertainment Center produces live plays and musicals. Also offered are music lessons, rehearsal rooms, musical instrument check-out, various workshops in music, a full 24- deck recording studio available by appointment and theatre for adults and children. All ages are welcome. To check out equipment, children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult with a valid ID card.

<b>Name:</b> Recreation Center
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7047
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8837
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-37440
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8837
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday through Sunday 1200-2000 & American Holidays 1000- 1800; Closed on Wednesdays  RECREATION CENTER The Recreation Center offers a variety of programs to include tournaments, flea markets and tours. A large variety of pool tables, board games and more are available for your enjoyment. Phone booths for both local and international calls are located inside the Recreation Center. German prepaid phone cards, fax service, and rooms for functions, meetings or special events are available. Aerobic, Tae Kwon Do and Wado-Ryu Karate classes are offered through the Recreation Center and tanning beds are available by appointment. The Recreation Center also includes the Outdoor Recreation which offers a variety of services in addition to equipment rental. Bicycle repair, ski maintenance and repair, racquet restringing and ski trips are just a few. You can rent bicycles, skis, roller blades, trailer grills, dunking booths, camping equipment and canoes.

<b>Name:</b> Reel Time Movie Theater
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7022
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-1790
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-34055
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-1790
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Sunday 1900-Until, Matinees begin at 1300 and 1400  REEL TIME MOVIE THEATER The new theater is now complete! The theater has new automatic reclined seats and lights down each isle to easily locate your seat after returning from purchasing a snack or soft drink. The theater shows both first run and second run movies. Stateside movies are currently received within four weeks. Ticket prices are \$3.50 for adults and \$1.75 for children for first run movies and thesecond run \$3.00 for adults and \$1.50 for children.



<b>Name:</b> Rod and Gun Club
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7682
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7583
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-302462
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7583
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Restaurant Hours: Breakfast: Saturday & Sunday 0830-1130 Lunch: Monday through Friday 1130-1330, Saturday & Sunday 1200-1400 Dinner: Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday 1700-2100 Bar Hours: Sunday through Thursday 1100-2300, Friday & Saturday 1100-2400 Sports Store Hours: Monday through Friday 1000-1800 and Saturday & Sunday 0800-1800 Skeet Range Hours: Sunday 1200-1600  <b>ROD AND GUN CLUB</b> The Rod and Gun Club offers hunting, archery, golf and a skeet range. Throughout the year, the Rod and Gun Club offers golf and fishing tournaments.

<b>Name:</b> Schwimmbad (Swimming Pool)
<b>City:</b> Bamberg 96052
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-871795
<b>Proximity to site:</b> Within Walking Distance
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0830-2000, Saturday & Sunday 0800-2000  <b>SCHWIMMBAD</b> The schwimmbad is an outdoor swimming pool located within walking distance from post. There are two pools available (kiddie & adult). There is a small restaurant located inside the schwimmbad and they also offer lockers and showers. There is a picnic area and a small entrance fee.

<b>Name:</b> Seven Hills Paradise Club
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7120
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7556/7596
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7556/7596
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Thursday 2100-0100, Friday & Saturday 2100-0300  <b>SEVEN HILLS CLUB</b> The club offers Country and Western, R&B, hip hop and Disco music. Above the Seven Hills Club is the Hideaway, a club that plays jazz and oldies.

<b>Name:</b> Sports & Fitness Center, JFK Gym
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7673
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8890
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-302532
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8890
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0500-2100, Saturday & Sunday & USAREUR training holidays 0900-2100, American holidays from 1000-1700  <b>SPORTS &amp; FITNESS CENTER</b> JFK Gym has indoor racquet ball courts, both indoor and outdoor tennis courts, basketball courts and a fully equipped modernized weight room.

<b>Name:</b> Volksmarch Club
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg 7000
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> <b>VOLKSMARCH CLUB</b> The Volksmarch Club is currently in the basement of building 7000. They meet every Thursday from 1500-1700. The Volksmarch Club travels all over Europe to attend volksmarches. Volksmarches are walks through the German countryside. There are stations along the way selling refreshments and at the end of the walk you receive a prize. The prizes range from medallions, to stuffed animals, to the famous beer mugs. You can find a listing of the volksmarches throughout Europe by looking in the Thursday edition of the Stars and Stripes newspaper.

## Military Related and Civic Organizations

<b>Name:</b> Bamberg Women's Club
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7324
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-32408
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Tuesday & Wednesday 0930-1500, Thursday 1100-1700, and First Saturday of the month 0930-1500; Closed Federal Holidays  <b>BAMBERG WOMEN'S CLUB</b> The Bamberg Women's Club sponsors different fundraisers throughout the year and all of the money that is made goes back into the community. Membership is open to all military ID card holders, civilians and local nationals. The membership year is from September through May and costs \$10. The BWC hosts monthly luncheons and Bingo games, offers educational scholarships to its members, has a large welfare campaign, participates in the American Women's Activities in Germany (AWAG) and runs the best Thrift Store in Germany!

<b>Name:</b> Kontakt Club
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7123
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-1600/8759
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-1600/8759
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0800-1200, 1300-1600, Closed Federal Holidays  <b>KONTAKT CLUB</b> This club provides activities to promote German/American friendship. Meetings are held every Tuesday at 1900 in the Directorate of Public Works (DPW) Day Room, Bldg. 7123.

<b>Name:</b> Non-Commissioned Officers Association
<b>City:</b> Bamberg 96052
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-954-68607
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-954-68607
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b>  <b>NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS ASSOCIATION</b> The Non-Commissioned Officers Association has a chapter in Bamberg. The address you will see above is for the local NCOA membership recruiter. The NCOA offers Legislative Representation, Social Improvement and Consumer Protection. NCOA programs include: Veterans Employment Assistance Program, Scholarship Program, National Certified Merchant Program, Medical Trust Fund, NCOA Motor Club along with many other programs.

<b>Name:</b> Warrant Officers Association
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27506 Box 15
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7263/7264
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-8514
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7263/7264
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b>  <b>WARRANT OFFICERS ASSOCIATION</b> Warrant Officers Association's has Nord Bayern (Silver) Chapter in Bamberg. The Nord Bayern's mission is to support the 279th Base Support Battalion and to improve the professionalism of their members and all warrant officers within the Bamberg Community. The chapter also provides members with professional development needs through information passed from Headquarters through the European region to the chapter. The Association sponsors fundraisers to help support community programs.

## Shopping

Shopping in Germany is a wonderful and unique experience. There is one "Shopping Mall" in Bamberg, the Atrium, with about 35 stores. Most shops are located downtown in the main square and could almost be called boutiques. On the local economy, all purchases are made in Deutsche Marks. Marks can be obtained from the local Community Bank, Credit Union, and the finance office. Everyday in the downtown Marktplatz fresh fruits and vegetables can be purchased from local farmers, as well as fresh cut flowers. The bus system makes

for easy access to the downtown area. Parking can be a problem. Big sales occur in German stores twice a year. The winter sale takes place mid-January, and the summer sale around July.

## State and Community Social Service Agencies

<b>Name:</b> Babies Emergency Nutrition Program (BEN)
<b>Address:</b> Commander, 279th BSB, ATTN: AETV-WG-BJ (BEN Program)
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7777
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7777
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0730-1200, 1300-1630, Closed American Holidays  <b>BEN PROGRAM</b> The BEN Program is for military members E-4 and below that qualify. BEN offers baby formula on a six month rotation basis. BEN is here to help all military family's in an emergency situation. Currently USAREUR does not have a WIC (Women, Infant and Children) Program or Food Stamps.

<b>Name:</b> Jugendamt (Child Welfare Office)
<b>Address:</b> Geyersworth Strasse
<b>City:</b> Bamberg 96052
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-871530
<b>Proximity to site:</b> 4 miles
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Thursday 0800-1200 & 1400-1600, Friday 0800-1200  <b>JUGENDAMT (CHILD WELFARE OFFICE)</b> Residents of Bamberg including American families are eligible for the Geburtsbeihilfe after giving birth to their third child. This benefit is offered by the city of Bamberg and may not be available in other cities throughout Germany. Three hundred (DM300) Deutsch Marks is given for the third child and five hundred (DM500) Deutsch Marks for the fourth child and beyond. To receive the Geburtsbeihilfe, parents must ask for the form at the Standesamt office located in the new Rathaus. The completed form must then be taken to the Jugendamt (Child Welfare Office) at the Geyersworther Rathaus. The form takes about four to five weeks to process and the money is credited to a bank account.

<b>Name:</b> Social Work Services
<b>Address:</b> Commander, 188th General Dispensary, Unit 27535 Bldg 7486
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8795/7793
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7725
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8795/7793
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7725
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0730-1200, 1300-1630, Closed American holidays  <b>SOCIAL WORK SERVICE</b> Social Work Service is involved in the investigation of child abuse, spouse abuse and child neglect. They provide treatment services for substantiated Family Advocacy cases as well as group, individual, family and marital counseling.

## Non-Profit Social Service Agencies

AMERICAN RED CROSS SEE Emergency Assistance (UNDER SUPPORT SERVICES)

## Religious Activities

The Warner Barracks Army Chaplains extend an open invitation to every member of the community to

join them in chapel services and activities. Church services include: Catholic, Church of Christ, Lutheran, Protestant, Spanish Protestant, True Saints and Missionary Baptist. Please contact the chapel for services and times. The Chapel sponsors several enrichment programs such as Single Soldiers' Supper, Youth Group, Sunday School and Catholic Catechism Doctrine (CCD). Please see SUPPORT SERVICES, Chapel Services and Programs and see CHILD AND TEEN SERVICES, Religious Programs for more information.

## Community Transportation

For more information on this subject:  
Auto Europe Car Rentals  
<http://www.autoeurope.com/res>

**GERMAN BUS SYSTEM** The German bus system has two bus lines that run near post. Line 1 on Zollnerstrasse (outside the Mini-Mall gate), and Line 2 on Podeldorfer. Look for the green "H" (for bus stop or "Haltestelle"). The bus runs every 10 minutes and cost is 1.80DM one way. You can purchase tickets from the bus driver but they only accept Deutsche Marks. You can buy a book of bus schedules at the Bahnhof (Train Station). The hours of operation are: Monday - Friday from 0545-1930, Saturday 0645-2200 & Sunday 0800-1900. The Bahnhof is located at Ludwig Strasse and the number to call is 011-49-1805-996633.

## Education

### Education Overview

Schools on Warner Barracks educate children in grades kindergarten through the 12th grade. All schools are accredited by the North Central Association.

In order to register your child you must have current orders (family travel orders and sponsor's orders), the student's birth certificate or passport, student's social security number, I.D. card (sponsor or spouse), current shot records and local emergency contact information (other than parent). Your child can not start school without the documents listed above! Parents should present copies of report cards, verification of grade placement, credits earned or other credentials when they enroll students. This will assist counselors and administrators in placing students in the proper instructional level.

In order to graduate from Bamberg High School, the student must pass the High School Graduation Exam and have 24 credits accumulated in grades 9-12.

The 1999-2000 school year began August 30, 1999. The first quarter ended Thursday, November 4 and the second quarter began Monday, November 8. Christmas break was from Monday, December 20 to Monday, January 3, 2000. On Thursday, January 27 the second quarter and first semester both came to an end. Monday, January 31 began the third quarter and the second semester. The third quarter ends Thursday, April 6. After Spring Break, April 12 - April 16, the fourth and last quarter begins on Monday, April 17. The last day of school for the 1999-2000 school year will be Thursday, June 15, 2000.

### Public and DODDS Schools

<b>Name:</b> Bamberg American Elementary School
<b>Address:</b> DODDS Bamberg American Elementary School, Unit 27539
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7616
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-31815
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7616
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0800-1600  ELEMENTARY SCHOOL School Hours: 1st-6th grades 0805-1435; AM Kindergarten 0805-1035 and PM Kindergarten 1205-1435  For students in grades Kindergarten - 3rd grade, the students are developmentally scored. Meaning that a student is either Participating, Showing Strength or Needs to Participate. The grading system for students grades 4th - 6th is similar to that of the High School. (100-90 A, 89-80 B, 79-70 C, 69-60 D, 59- below F) Bamberg's very own elementary school had the District teacher of the year for the 1998 -1999 school year. After school activities include drama club, music group and computer group to name a few. In order to eat a school lunch you must first obtain lunch tickets. You can purchase your tickets through the Army & Air Force Exchange (AAFES). The school also has free or reduced lunches for those eligible. Call CAFAP for information about reduced lunches at DSN 469-7777.

<b>Name:</b> Bamberg American High School
<b>Address:</b> DODDS Bamberg American High School, Unit 27539
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7630/8874
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-32669
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7630/8874
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0800-1600  HIGH SCHOOL School Hours: 0800-1455  The grading system is based on a scale of A through F. (See Elementary School for exact percentages) In order to graduate, the student must have 24 credits accumulated in grades 9-12. Special courses are available to the students of the Bamberg High School. These include architectural design, AVID program, instrumental music, choral music, computer graphics, computer science, cooperative work experience, drivers education, graphics, honors English, journalism, photography, JROTC, technology education and yearbook. For those students interested in sports there is football, tennis, volleyball, wrestling, cheer leading, cross country, basketball, golf, soccer and track.

## Private Schools

There are many private schools in the Bamberg area. Unfortunately, it is very hard to get your child into these schools because they are so small. If you would like to research the idea of a private school more in depth please visit the Army Community Service building. Someone is usually present at the ACS who can help you with translations and calling some of the schools that you may be interested in.

## Colleges and Universities

<b>Name:</b> City Colleges of Chicago
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg 7047
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7467
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300- 8821
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7467
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-8821
<b>WWW Link:</b> <a href="http://www.ccc-e.org">http://www.ccc-e.org</a>
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0730-1630  CITY COLLEGES OF CHICAGO City Colleges of Chicago is an independent study video course, fully transferable, has open enrollments, flexible course times, home study and convenient for soldiers, moms and working people. The only time you step into a classroom is to take the tests involved with the course of study you are following. Tuition rates are comparable to colleges in the States. The City Colleges of Chicago offers many benefits such as VA Benefits, Pell Grants, Army Reserve Tuition Assistance (75%), Army Tuition Assistance (75%), Army Civilian Tuition Assistance, Air Force Tuition Assistance (75%) and Spouse Tuition Assistance for Air Force (75%). The degrees offered are an Associates in Arts, which is transferable to a four year college and an Associates in General Studies. Chicago also has book rental available. Note: You must have taken at least 15 credit hours worth of courses through City Colleges of Chicago in order to graduate with this college.

<b>Name:</b> University of Maryland
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg 7047
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7466
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7466
<b>WWW Link:</b> <a href="http://www.ed.umuc.edu">http://www.ed.umuc.edu</a>
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0800-1630  UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND The University of Maryland has GI/Veterans Benefits available. Students with these benefits must pay tuition in full and receive reimbursement from the VA. Also offered are benefits such as AER loans (up to 50%) for a spouse of military personnel, Pell Grants, student loans and twice a year two scholarships are awarded. Tuition is comparable with universities in the States. The highest level of degree that can be achieved at this college is a Master's degree. An application fee is required for all first time enrollments. Note: You must have taken at least 15 credit hours in order to graduate through the University of Maryland.

## Adult or Continuing Education

<b>Name:</b> Education Center
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7047
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7715
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7457
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7715
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7457
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0730-12000, 1300-1630,  EDUCATION CENTER All programs in the European Division are designed to meet needs of adults seeking to continue their education. For more information refer to Colleges and Universities.

## Special Education

Children of active duty service members with significant developmental delays of 25% or more in one of the following areas are eligible for the free and appropriate special education programs provided by DoDDS as designated by Public Law 94-142:

\* Physical development \* Communication development \* Cognitive development \*

Social/emotional development \* Adaptive/self help development

The DoDDS Special Education Programs include Pre-School for Children with Disabilities (PSCD), ages two years 10 months to six years. These services are available at the Bamberg Elementary School. Special Education Programs for children ages five to twenty-one with mild to moderate learning impairments are available at both the Bamberg Elementary School and Bamberg High School. Students on an Individual Education Plan (IEP) may receive speech and language services as well.

The Educational and Developmental Intervention Services (EDIS) works with the schools to provide students with medically related services such as occupational and physical therapy, social work service, psychological counseling and pediatric assessment and diagnosis.

Sure Start is a full day pre-school program through DoDDS which models Head Start in the United States. While not a special education program, Sure Start does accept children of E4 and below with mild disabilities. Specific criteria are necessary to qualify for army special education support services.

<b>Name:</b> DODDS Special Education Programs
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, High School
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7630
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-32669
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7630
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0800-1600

## Employment

### Employment Overview

Employment in Germany is currently very limited. We are, however, experiencing growth on Warner Barracks and positions become available when needed.

Good Prospects: Child Caregivers, Substitute Teachers, and retail.

Fair Prospects: Social Services and general clerical

Poor Prospects: Administrative

## Federal Civilian Employment for Spouses

Bamberg has two job Information Centers. One which is located at ACS in the Relocation office and the other is at the local CPAC. Both offices post the current job listings for each week. USAREUR uses the RESUMIX system to hire for Appropriated Funds (AF) positions. If you would like information on how to apply or a list of the current job openings in Bamberg and its commuting areas, you will find it via the internet. You will find the address under the Family Member Employment Assistance Program listing.

<b>Name:</b> Family Member Employment Assistance Program (FMEAP)
<b>Address:</b> Commander, 279th BSb, ATTN:AETV-WG-BJ (Relo), Unit 27535
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7777
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7777
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>E-Mail:</b> site1375@cmtymail.98asg.army.mil
<b>WWW Link:</b> <a href="http://www.chrma.hqusareur.army.mil">http://www.chrma.hqusareur.army.mil</a>
<b>Proximity to site:</b> on site
<b>Comments:</b> ACS (Army Community Service) offers a great program to help military spouses learn about employment opportunities. Through FMEAP family members, retirees and Department of Defense civilian personnel can receive help in resume preparation, access to current job openings, use computers to type their resume and staff is available to email resumes to the USAREUR database. Family members may submit their resume prior to arrival in country. However, the self-nomination process for actual vacancies or open continuous announcements should not be started until actual arrival in country. Applicants should download the Resumix Resume Job Kit from the website listed above. Any deviation from the procedures outlined in the job kit may cause the resume to be rejected. If you have any questions after reading the job kit please contact this office. Here are some items to collect and hand carry: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* School transcripts</li> <li>* Updated resume, SF 171/NAF applications and/or your employment portfolio</li> <li>* Professional licenses and certificates</li> <li>* Special awards, honors and recognitions</li> <li>* Name, job title, address and telephone numbers of at least three professional and three character references</li> <li>* Letter of recommendation from past and/or present employers</li> <li>* Copies of your SF 50's (Notification of Personnel Action), performance appraisals and job descriptions for all jobs held</li> <li>* Volunteer employment portfolio from the agency where you volunteered</li> <li>* DD Form 214 and similar documents to verify prior military service, disability or other preferences claimed</li> </ul>

<b>Name:</b> Job Information Center (local CPAC)
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7089
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8812
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7610
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8812
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7610
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 1000-1200, 1300-1600  JOB INFORMATION CENTER When a spouse applies for a position, they can use their military spouse preference. This gives them priority over others. This does not mean you will automatically gain employment, it only upgrades your preference. You lose your Military Spouse or Family Member Preference when you: a) accept or turn down a permanent position, b) accept or turn down a temporary position which is extended to last 12 months or longer, c) are in a temporary position which is extended to last 12 months or longer, d) have a combination of consecutive temporary positions which total 12 months or longer, e) accept or turn down permanent, full time, part-time, or intermittent positions with Non-Appropriated Funds (NAF) or Army & Air Force Exchange Service (AAFES). Military Spouse Preference can only be used once per permanent change of station (PCS).

### Permanent Employment Resources

<b>Name:</b> Army and Air Force Exchange Service Personnel
<b>Address:</b> AAFES Europe Bamberg, Unit 27546
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-303159
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-39240
<b>WWW Link:</b> <a href="http://www.aafes.com">http://www.aafes.com</a>
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Thursday 0730-1600, Friday 0730-1430  AAFES To apply for positions with all AAFES facilities (Gas Station, Movie Theater, Shoppette, Bookmark, PX, Four Seasons, Sight & Sound Center, etc.) write to: AAFES Europe Bamberg, Unit 27546, APO AE 09139.

### Temporary Employment Resources

<b>Name:</b> DA, Regional Contracting Office (RCO)
<b>Address:</b> ATTN: AEUCC-W, Faulenberg Kas.-Bldg. 250, Unit 26622
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-931-287420
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-931-287432
<b>Proximity to site:</b> 65 miles
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0800-1600, Closed German Holidays  REGIONAL CONTRACTING OFFICE Some temporary positions are available through the federal government on a contract basis. These positions are usually advertised in the local community paper, at the RCO Office on Faulenberg Kasserne, Wuerzburg and in the Stars and Stripes. These positions do not exceed one year.

### Non-Paid or Volunteer Opportunities

<b>Name:</b> Installation Volunteer Coordinator
<b>Address:</b> Commander, 279th BSB, ATTN: AETV-WG-BJ (IVC), Unit 27535
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7777
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7777
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0730-1200, 1300-1630. Closed American holidays.  INSTALLATION VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR Volunteering gains you valuable job experience. You must register with the Installation Volunteer Coordinator (IVC) to ensure your volunteer hours are recorded and you receive proper credit for your work. The IVC recruits, interviews and refers interested persons to volunteer opportunities within the community.

### Chambers of Commerce

You can write the Chamber of Commerce to get information on Bamberg. They can help you get information on housing, schools, employment, etc.



<b>Name:</b> American Chamber of Commerce in Germany- Berlin office
<b>Address:</b> Budapesterstrasse 29
<b>City:</b> Berlin 10787
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-30-2615586
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-30-2622600
<b>Proximity to site:</b> 4 hour drive

<b>Name:</b> American Chamber of Commerce in Germany- Frankfurt office
<b>Address:</b> Rossmarkt 12
<b>City:</b> Frankfurt 60311
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-69-9291040
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-69-92910411
<b>Proximity to site:</b> 3 hour drive

### Private Sector Employment

Private Sector Employment is possible. However, there are a few things you should keep in mind. Family members of the U.S. military are not required to obtain work permits for employment on the local economy. However, they are subject to the local Finanzamt (Labor Office). You will be required to fill out a simple form with information such as name, address, date of birth, etc. Registration may not be required for those working less than 15 hours per week or earning less than DM400 per month. There are some wonderful benefits to employment on the economy. They pay you "kindergeld", extra money if you have children, provide generous maternity leave, and provide ample amounts of vacation time as well as sick leave. Some American and German firms in Germany hire U.S. family members. Some positions require fluency in the German language.

### Government Employment

<b>Name:</b> Civilian Personnel Advisory Center
<b>Address:</b> Commander, 279th BSB, Unit 27535, ATTN: CPAC
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8812
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7610
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8812
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7610
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 1000-1200 and 1300-1600  CIVILIAN PERSONNEL ADVISORY CENTER The civilian personnel advisory center offers personal service to civilian employees. Job listings for USAREUR are posted outside this office.

<b>Name:</b> Department of Defense Dependents Schools
<b>Address:</b> DODDS Bamberg Elementary School, Unit 27539
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7616
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-32669
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7616
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0800-1600  DODDS Hiring for DODDS is currently done by each individual school. You can get information on job availability as well as the proper application forms at the school to which you wish to apply. Applications are sent to DODDS main headquarters in Virginia for rating and eligibility status.

<b>Name:</b> Non-Appropriated Funds (NAF)
<b>Address:</b> Commander 279th BSB, Unit 27535, ATTN: CPAC
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8812
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7610
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8812
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7610
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 1000-1200 and 1300-1600  NON-APPROPRIATED FUNDS Non-Appropriated fund positions are paid with profits from Officers Clubs, Non-Commissioned Officers Clubs and similar activities.

<b>Name:</b> Dental Assistance Program
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7029 (ARC)
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7785
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7785
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0800-1630. Closed American holidays.  DENTAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM The American Red Cross sponsors a Dental Assistance Program that offers on the job training and classes. The program runs from May - September each year and applications are accepted until the beginning of February. There is no cost involved for this program.

### Professional or Occupational Licensing

<b>Name:</b> Child Development Registration Services
<b>Address:</b> Commander, 279th BSB, Unit 27535, ATTN: CDS
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7716
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7716
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0800-1600, Closed Federal holidays  FAMILY CHILD CARE PROVIDERS Family Child Care Providers are individuals who keep children in their home. This is an alternative to the Day Care Center and provides for more child care slots. In order to become a Family Child Care Provider, a course must be completed.

## Networking Opportunities

<b>Name:</b> Family Member Employment Assistance Program (FMEAP)
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, ATTN: AETV-WG-BJ (ACS)
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8855
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8855
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<p><b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0730-1630, Closed American Holidays</p> <p>Program Services are available to active duty military, family members, retirees and Department of Defense civilian personnel. FMEAP personnel assist in assembling a plan of action and are available for question and problem resolutions. They also assist in completing the Resumix Kit when applying for a position. There are computers available to type your resume. This office can also assist in e-mailing your resume. Here are some items to collect and hand-carry:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* School transcripts</li> <li>* Updated resume, SF 171/NAF applications and/or your employment portfolio</li> <li>* Professional licenses or certifications</li> <li>* Special awards, honors or recognitions</li> <li>* Name, job title, address and telephone numbers of at least three professional and three character references</li> <li>* Letter of recommendation from past and/or present employers</li> <li>* Copies of your SF 50's (Notification of personnel Action), performance appraisals and job descriptions for all jobs held</li> <li>* Volunteer employment portfolio from the agency where you volunteered</li> <li>* DD Forms 214 and similar documents to verify prior military service, disability or other preferences claimed</li> </ul>

## Medical And Dental

### Medical and Dental Overview

Warner Barracks has a Health Clinic, Dental Clinic, and Pharmacy on site. The Health Clinic houses a community health nurse, Optometrist and a patient

education nurse. Urgent care emergencies that cannot be handled at the Health Clinic are referred to the Bamberg Klinikum. Non-emergencies are referred to the 67th Evacuation Hospital in Wuerzburg.

In case of emergency, you can call the Health Clinic's Acute Care Area between the hours of 0700-1600 Monday through Friday at CIV 0951-300-8741 or DSN 469-8741. If an emergency occurs after hours, please call the 279th Base Support Battalion Staff Duty at CIV 0951-300-7492 or DSN 469-7492. The Staff Duty will then call the medic that is on duty. Or you can go directly to the Klinikum's emergency room.

**Directions to the Bamberg Klinikum:** Leave the Health Clinic and go out gate #5 to the first stop light. Go through the stop light, past Reese Range to the end of the road and make a right. At the next light make a left onto Berliner Ring. Go to the next intersection and make a right onto Munchenering. Keep following this road until you see the exit on the right with the Klinikum sign. Exit here. Follow the signs for the Klinikum parking. Emergency room is on the first floor. Travel time is approximately 10-15 minutes.

**Directions to the Wuerzburg Hospital:** From Bamberg, take the secondary road 505 to Autobahn 3 toward Wuerzburg. Exit once you see the sign "Wuerzburg US facilities, gas station and hospital". Take this secondary road 8 to Wuerzburg. Exit at Gerbrun and follow the road to the intersection. Turn right and continue through 2 sets of lights. The hospital is on the left. Travel time is approximately one hour and 20 minutes.

### Medical Services/Directory - on Installation

Services provided at the Bamberg Health Clinic include Family Practice, General Medicine, Well Baby, Well Woman, and Family Member Sick Call appointments. Some minor surgical procedures are performed at the clinic as well. For more information contact the clinic.

### Medical Services/Directory - on Installation

<i>Clinic</i>	<i>POC</i>	<i>Number</i>
Acute Care Area		469-8741
Bamberg Health Clinic Information		469-1750
Cast Room		469-8741
Central Apointments		469-1750
Community Health Nurse		469-7853
Executive Officer		469-8619
Head Nurse		469-8619
Health Benefits Advisor (CHAMPUS/TRICARE)		469-7897/7420
Immunization Clinic		469-7975
Laboratory		469-7975
Non Commissioned Officer In Charge		469-7689
Optometry		469-7896
Patient Administration		469-1750
Patient Education		469-7976
Patient Liaison		469-8831/7990
Pharmacy		469-1750
Physical Exams (Active)		469-8677
X-Ray		469-8068

### Health Benefits Advisor, Wellness, and CHAMPUS/TRICARE Programs

The TRICARE Europe program is modeled on the TRICARE program in the United States, but it provides some added services unique to the overseas environment. TRICARE is a "managed-care" health care program managed by the military in partnership with civilian contractors. TRICARE offers family members overseas two choices for their health care: TRICARE Standard, a fee-for service option which is the same as CHAMPUS and TRICARE Prime, an option similar to civilian health maintenance organizations (HMO). Enrollment is only required for TRICARE Prime. Active duty soldiers are automatically enrolled in TRICARE Prime. There are no enrollment fees for family members.

Personnel in the Bamberg Military Community have access to many medical services at the Bamberg Health Clinic. Occasionally, you may be referred to a German health care provider. The German health care system is a quality system with highly trained providers. We have established relationships with a select group of providers in the area who have had their credentials verified and have agreed to file TRICARE/CHAMPUS claims on behalf of our patients. Should you require any assistance in interacting with the local German medical system, please contact the TSC (TRICARE Service Center) in

Wuerzburg (Commercial: 011-49-931-8043873 or DSN 350-3873) or Bamberg (Commercial: 011-49-951-300-7897 or DSN 469-7897).

SEE At A Glance section for information on specialties available.

<b>Name:</b> Defense Enrollment Eligibility Reporting System (DEERS)
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7290
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7858; DSN 469-7858
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-8635
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Wednesday & Friday 0900-1145/1300-1630, Closed Thursdays  DEERS DEERS is a congressionally mandated program established to improve the control and distribution of available uniformed services, benefits, and privileges, to improve the projection and allocation of costs for existing and future benefits programs and to minimize the fraudulent use of benefits by unauthorized persons.  Sponsors who are not automatically enrolled must be enrolled through the DD Form 1172 process. Certain Guard/Reserve sponsors must be enrolled manually because records do not reflect short-term (31 to 179 days) assignments. An enrollment check of Title III Retirees will be completed 90 days before they become eligible on their 60th birthday by Service Finance Centers of Reserve Retirees. Also, sponsors may be added when the verifying official is required to add the record to issue ID cards where a sponsor does not yet exist on the database. A verified DD Form 1172 signed by both the sponsor and an authorized verifying official must be submitted for enrollment of all family members. For locations not having on-line (automated) update capabilities, the DD Form 1172 must be completed, verified and submitted to the DEPC (DEERS Enrollment Processing Center).

<b>Name:</b> Healthy Pregnancy, Healthy Baby Course
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7029 (AMC)
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7785
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7785
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0800-1600  HEALTHY PREGNANCY, HEALTHY BABY COURSE The American Red Cross offers four, two hour classes that educate parents on how to take care of themselves as well as their new baby. It also consists of a visit to the Bamberg Klinikum (local hospital).

## Community Hospitals

<b>Name:</b> 67th Evacuation Hospital (Wuerzburg)
<b>Address:</b> Wuerzburg 67th Cash, Unit 26610
<b>City:</b> 09244
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-931-8043854
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-931-8043859
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 350-3854
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 350-3859
<b>Proximity to site:</b> 42 miles
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0730-1630  WUERZBURG HOSPITAL The Wuerzburg hospital has both an outpatient clinic and an emergency room for after hours and weekend emergencies. The following medical services are available: cardiology, obstetrics, orthopedics and pediatrics. You can contact the emergency room at CIV 011-49-931-3877.  WUERZBURG SHUTTLE BUS There is a shuttle bus that runs twice daily from Bamberg to Wuerzburg and back. It departs from the front of the Health Clinic and goes to the Wuerzburg Hospital and Dental Clinic. The bus does not run on weekends or US Federal Holidays. Shuttle bus hours: Departs Bamberg Health Clinic at 0700 Hours and 1230 Hours Arrives at Wuerzburg Hospital at 0820 Hours and 1350 Hours Departs from Wuerzburg Hospital at 1030 Hours and 1630 Hours

Arrives at Bamberg Health Clinic at 1150 Hours and 1750 Hours  
NOTE: All times are approximate.

<b>Name:</b> Bamberg Klinikum
<b>Address:</b> Bugerstrasse 80
<b>City:</b> Bamberg 96052
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-5030
<b>Proximity to site:</b> 6 miles
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Sunday 24 hrs. a day  BAMBERG KLINIKUM The Klinikum in Bamberg opened in 1984 and is one of the most modern and technologically advanced hospitals in Bavaria. With its capacity of 830 beds, it is also one of the biggest. All rooms have an outward view of the surrounding countryside and are bright and spacious. The majority of the rooms are for 3 bed occupancy, although some wards have 2 bed occupancy rooms. Most rooms have toilets and wash basins. Showers and bathtubs are located on each ward. Private and 2 occupancy rooms have their own showers. Visiting hours are daily from 1330-2000, with open visiting hours for the Kinderklinik (children's clinic) and fathers of newborns. Parents are encouraged to stay if their child is a patient. Telephones are available at the bedside for a daily rental fee (not covered by TRICARE) and calls are charged at the local rate. Telephones are also available in the main lobby near the supermarket.

## Dental Services/Directory - on Installation

<i>Clinic</i>	<i>POC</i>	<i>Number</i>
Dental Clinic	Emergency after hour	011-49-951-300-7492
Dental Clinic	Commander	011-49-951-300-8656
Dental Clinic	Emergency	011-49-951-300-8656
Dental Clinic	Central Appointments	011-49-951-300-8895
Dental Clinic	Fax Number	011-49-951-300-8541

## Family Member Dental Plan

In Germany, family members are seen at the Bamberg Dental Clinic. The United Concordia Companies, Inc. dental plan is not valid in Germany. If you are traveling to Germany with your family members, it would be wise to cancel your United Concordia Companies, Inc. dental plan once your family members arrive. REMEMBER: Re-activate your Dental Plan prior to returning to the states. If you or a family member choose to go to a local German Dentist, you must incur all expenses.

## Housing

### Housing Overview

For more information on this subject:  
<http://www.armyhousing.net>

Housing is available for all active duty soldiers and their family members. The waiting period for housing varies monthly so be sure to call the housing office for the most up to date information. On post

housing consists of stairwell apartments. There are 2, 3 and 4 bedroom apartments available. The size of the quarters you are assigned is determined by the number of family members. Housing for 0-4 and above are duplex style with small yards and basements. There are ample playgrounds located within each housing area.

## Housing Allowances

For more information on this subject:

<http://www.dtic.mil/perdiem/rateinfo.html>

In Germany you receive Overseas Housing Allowance (OHA). The OHA is a supplement to BAQ that is paid to service members who live in private housing at their overseas duty station. The OHA is undergoing a major change. January 1, 1998 marked the start of the six-year transition to the new BAH program. In the first and early years of the transition, the allowances will be virtually identical in form and calculation to the old system. The OHA rate is changing with the fluctuation of the dollar exchange rate. Cost of Living Allowance (COLA) is an allowance paid to service members stationed in high-cost areas overseas.

## Housing Allowances

Housing allowance information is available from the Per Diem, Travel and Transportation Allowance Committee's Web Site:	
Rates and Allowances Home Page	<a href="http://www.dtic.mil/perdiem/rateinfo.html">http://www.dtic.mil/perdiem/rateinfo.html</a>
Basic Allowance for Housing	<a href="http://www.dtic.mil/perdiem/bah.html">http://www.dtic.mil/perdiem/bah.html</a>
Overseas Housing Allowance	<a href="http://www.dtic.mil/perdiem/allooha.html">http://www.dtic.mil/perdiem/allooha.html</a>

## Government Housing

<b>Name:</b> Assignment and Termination Section (A&T)
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7114
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8815/7654
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7684
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8815/7654
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7684
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0730-1200, 1230-1600, Closed German and American Holidays
<b>GOVERNMENT HOUSING</b> Government Quarters/Leased Quarters are readily available. At the moment, there is no waiting list for Government Family Quarters. Concurrent Travel is approved to Government controlled quarters. There is not any special Exceptional Family Member Housing. However, consideration as to floor or distance may be granted through an Exception to Policy.

<b>Name:</b> Furnishings Management Office (FMO)
<b>Address:</b> 279th Base Support Battalion, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7114
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7711
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7684
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7711
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7684
<b>Proximity to site:</b> On site
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0730-1200, 1230-1600; Closed German and American holidays
<b>FURNISHINGS MANAGEMENT OFFICE (FMO)</b> The government furnishings available are: dining room tables and chairs, couches, living room chairs, coffee tables, hutches, beds, dressers, kitchen cabinets, refrigerators, stoves, washer & dryers and dishwashing machines. Try to ship in your hold baggage the following items: bed linens, strollers, car seats, cribs, playpens, pillows, fans (in summer), any appliance that is dual voltage, one small portable TV, etc.

## Community Housing

The Bamberg Housing Referral Office is operating under the "Open Referral" system for Private Rental Housing. Apartments are referred on a first come, first serve basis. **IMPORTANT:** All sponsors serving an accompanied tour who desire to live in Private Rental housing must obtain a Statement of Non-Availability (SNA) for Government controlled

family housing. This SNA for Government family quarters verifies that quarters are not available. The Housing Referral Office will not negotiate for and/or assist in execution of a Private Rental contract unless there is a SNA or, the soldier has confirmed in writing that he/she insists on Private Rental housing despite the fact that he/she will forfeit he/her housing allowances.

Soldiers entitled to reside in Private Rental housing (bachelors and/or unaccompanied personnel in the the grades E6 and above) need to register with the Housing Referral Office during in-processing. A SNA is needed from the Unaccompanied Personnel Housing (UPH) Section. Almost all service members find housing either through the Housing Referral Office or "buddy referrals" of Private Rental housing which has been registered with and preapproved by the Housing Referral Office. Those service members who try to find housing on their own are advised by the Housing staff to contact Housing Referral before committing themselves to an apartment. A Housing Counselor will then perform the contract negotiations with the landlord. There are differences between USAREUR Housing rental agreements and most standard German rental contracts (i.e. termination clause, renovation clause).

One, two and three bedroom private rental apartments are basically available without any problems. Most service members needing 1-3 bedroom apartments can be housed within a very short time. There is no official waiting list for private rental housing. Apartments and/or houses are referred on a first come, first serve basis. Most landlords request a security deposit equal to one or two month's rent. Pet deposits are not common.

## **Utilities**

The utilities that you may be expected to pay to the landlord if you are living in private quarters are gas/oil, water, sewage, trash, chimney-sweep, and common electricity. For the electricity a contract between the user and the power company needs to be established. The power company "Stadtwerke" is servicing the city of Bamberg and the Energieversorgung Oberfranken (EVO) is servicing the rural towns around Bamberg. The EVO is not requiring a deposit for utilities, whereby the Stadtwerke does require an amount double the average monthly advance payment for a given apartment. NOTE: Some landlords have some or all of the utilities included in the rent. During the negotiations of the contract, the Housing Referral

Counselor will discuss all methods of payment with the prospective tenants.

## **Relocation Services**

### **Relocation Services Overview**

For more information on this subject:  
The Relocation Station, knowledge test  
<http://dticaw.dtic.mil/OUTPUT>

The Relocation Assistance Program has plenty to offer inbound soldiers and their families. Our Bi-Cultural program offers English as a Second Language for foreign speaking spouses. Our office also provides Welcome Packets. The Welcome Packet includes housing information, an installation map, a telephone directory along with other important information. We also have a Loan Closet that you can utilize.

In Germany the voltage system works quite differently than in the USA. Items run on 220 volts instead of 110 volts. If you own a 110 volt clock/radio, you may want to leave it at home. Because of the voltage difference, those clocks will lose time. If you plan to send your 110 volt appliances, such as curling irons, coffee makers, irons, blenders, etc, be prepared to spend anywhere from \$20 - \$200 for transformers to convert the voltage. Make sure you know the power rating of an appliance before connecting it to a transformer. Power ratings on electrical appliances are indicated in "watts" for household requirements. On some appliances "amperes" are used in place of watts. In such cases multiply the number of amperes by the voltage of the appliance to find the watts. (For instance, an appliance marked 3 amperes, 110 volts, has a power rating of 330 watts). Each type of transformer is designed to carry a specific "load" or a certain number of watts. Its load or wattage rating must NEVER be exceeded.

### **Relocation Assistance**

The Relocation Assistance Program's goal is to assist in making your move as smooth as possible. The program maintains information on military installations worldwide in order to assist PCSing personnel in getting acquainted with their new duty station. SITES (Standard Installation Topic Exchange Service) booklets are computer generated booklets containing information on installations of all branches of military service. The Family Member Employment Assistance Program is another Relocation Assistance Program service. Sponsorship



Training and a variety of other briefings are available through the Relocation Office. The Relocation Program also maintains a loan closet for inprocessing and outprocessing families. We loan out household items for 60 days at a time. If you still do not have your household goods by the end of the 60 days, then we just ask that you bring in a form letter from the Transportation office stating when your household goods will arrive. We offer items such as transformers, pots and pans, plates, cooking utensils, silverware, glasses, coffee makers, irons, toasters, playouts, high chairs, booster seats, car seats, etc.

<b>Name:</b> Relocation Assistance Program
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Attn: AETV-WG-BJ (ACS)
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8855
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8855
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>E-Mail:</b> Site1375@cmtymail.98asg.army.mil
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0730-1630, open during lunch. Closed on Federal Holidays only.

## In Transit Emergencies

No matter how well you have planned your move, emergencies do happen. Before you leave, make sure you have all of your important papers with you - not packed with your household goods. Make sure you have important numbers such as Staff Duty Office, your Command Duty Office, and your sponsor's work/phone number. Your sponsor can be invaluable in case of an emergency while in transit.

The American Red Cross is always available for emergency aid. Contact the nearest chapter listed in the local phone directory.

Army Emergency Relief (AER) can provide financial assistance to meet unforeseen expenses such as transportation, lodging or food. If all else fails, look to the nearest military installation for help.

## Financial Preparedness

A married soldier who is unable to obtain Temporary Lodging on Post, may stay in some of the local German hotels in the area. The cost per room varies depending on location. Hotels range between \$80.00 and \$140.00 per night. In addition to the hotel cost, the family must plan for additional food costs, transportation costs and pet boarding. Families that

live off post must plan for the extra expense of a security deposit, utilities and phone hookup. BAQ and OHA are slow in getting started. As a result a family must often pay the first two months rent out of their own pocket.

Another expense that a family must plan for is car insurance. Car insurance rates are often double that of the United States. A family with a car that has a lien can expect to pay up to \$250.00 a month for full coverage. With the chances of employment for the spouse limited in the overseas area, the family may find themselves in financial difficulties.

## Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP)

A family member (child or adult) of Active Army, U.S. Army Reserve, or Army National Guard with any physical, emotional, developmental or intellectual disorder that limits the individual's capability to engage in pursuits with peers and requires special treatment, therapy, education, training or counseling, is considered eligible for EFMP. The EFMP Program screens, evaluates, and documents the special needs of eligible family members in order to assign soldiers to an area where the special needs can be accommodated, providing there is a valid personnel requirement for the soldier's grade and specialty. A report of this need is forwarded from the Army Medical Department (AMEDD) to the U.S. Total Army Personnel Command (PERSCOM). Due to the positive results of this program, enrollment has become mandatory for active duty personnel which require special services for themselves or a family member and recommended to DA civilians working or in the process of working at an overseas location.

<b>Name:</b> Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP)
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, ATTN: EFMP
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8547
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8547
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0730-1200, 1300-1630

## Household Goods In-Bound Shipments

The documentation that is required upon arrival of your household goods is the DD Form 1299

(Shipment & Storage of Personal Property). Personnel PCSing to Germany have 70 days to initiate a claim on household goods. Contact the Legal Assistance Center for more information.

<b>Name:</b> Transportation Office - In Bound Personal Property
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Attn: Transportation Office
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7408
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-8452
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7409
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-8452
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Wednesday & Friday 0730-11200,1230-1600, Thursday 1230-1600, closed German & American Holidays

## Household Goods Out-Bound Shipments

The items that you may not ship as Personal Property are as follows:

(1) COMBUSTIBLE LIQUIDS such as alcohols, anti-freeze compounds, camphor oil and cleaners.

(2) CORROSIVE LIQUIDS such as acids, batteries, disinfectants, dyes, flame retardant compounds, iron/steel rust preventing/rust removing compounds and paint related materials.

(3) EXPLOSIVES such as ammunition, black powder, blasting caps, dynamite, plastics or any similar explosives, explosive auto alarms, fireworks, fuse lighters, igniters, primers, propellants, signal flares, smokeless powder, souvenir explosive instruments of war, spear guns having charged heads and toy propellants or smoke devices.

(4) FLAMMABLES such as acetone, adhesives (glues, cements, plastics), ammonia, charcoal briquettes, cleaning fluids, compound 3 weed killers, denatured alcohol, enamel, gasoline, insecticides, kerosene, lacquer, leather dressing or bleach, lighter fluids, liquors, oil stains for wood, paint, paint or varnish remover, petroleum products, liquid polishes, propane tanks (non-purged), propane or other gas used for cooking or heating, shellac, shoe polish (liquid), solvents (plastic), turpentine, varnish and wood filler.

(5) GASES (COMPRESSED) such as engine starting fluids, fire extinguishers, gases used in welding and scuba diving tanks (SEE note).

(6) AEROSOL CAN (containing a flammable gas, flammable liquid, toxic, or corrosive substance).

(7) CHLORINATED HYDROCARBONS IN DECORATIVE LAMPS.

(8) OTHER REGULATED MATERIAL TERMED COMBUSTIBLE, CORROSIVE, OR FLAMMABLE.

\*\*\*NOTE\*\*\* Only those scuba diving tanks containing not more than 25 per square inch at 70 degrees Fahrenheit may be shipped as HHG or UB Servicing. When shipping, the following must be included: 1. Written certification of purging by a dive shop or licensed individual qualified to perform purging. A tag or label must be affixed to the tank certifying service was performed. 2. Certification of purging is mandatory for propane tanks too.

<b>Name:</b> Transportation Office - Out Bound Personal Property
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Attn: Transportation Office
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8825
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-300-951-8452
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8825
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-8452
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday - Wednesday & Friday 0730-1200, 1230-1600, Thursday 1230-1600, closed German & American Holidays

## Household Goods Claims

The Claims office offers assistance with household goods and POV damage claims. The Claims office processes claims for lost, damaged or destroyed property which is: (a) shipped under Government orders (POV & HHG); (b) caused by thefts from Government Billets/facilities; (c) caused by on-post vandalism; or (d) caused by negligence of Government personnel. Notice of loss and/or damage (DD form 1840 R) must be submitted to the Claims Office within 70 calendar days after delivery (for shipments received from USA) and within 7 days for local/in-country moves. If you're planning on video-taping all your property, keep in mind that a video tape can not be faxed, photo-copied or watched in most claims offices. A tape is good as a back up for any photos you may have lost or not taken, but photos are still the best. Go through any photos you may have taken that show any property in them

already (ex. Holidays, parties). Before you take any more, show what you already have to the claims section to see if you may need to take more detailed pictures. Any and all receipts you have for an item should be hand carried. Even repair receipts can be used in some cases. Also, try to have your items appraised before you ship them.

If you have any questions about insurance and how much the Government will pay, contact your claims office. If you go through a private company for all or some of your items then please make sure that they will insure your property while it's on water (some companies do not) and find out who will pay for what.

Even if you don't live in the barracks you can use a high value item sheet to list your property. You can

get one through your Platoon Leader, Publications or your Unit's Crime Prevention NCOIC (Non-Commissioned Officer in Charge) (DA Form 4986).

<b>Name:</b> Claims Office
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7000
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8411
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-8412
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8411
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-8412
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday- Wednesday & Friday 0900-1200,1300-1400,Thursday 1300-1500, closed USAREUR training & American Holidays

### Household Goods Weight Allowances

<b>Grade</b>	<b>Allowance w/Dependents</b>	<b>Allowance wo/Dependents</b>
E1	5,000	1,500
E2	5,000	1,500
E3	5,000	2,000
E4	7,000	3,500
E5	9,000	7,000
E6	11,000	8,000
E7	12,500	10,500
E8	13,500	11,000
E9	14,500	12,000
W-1	12,000	10,000
W-2	13,500	12,500
W-3	14,500	13,000
W-4	17,000	14,000
O-1	12,000	10,000
O-2	13,500	12,500
O-3	14,500	13,000
O-4	17,000	14,000
O-5	17,500	16,000
O-6+	18,000	18,000

### POV In-Bound Shipments

The location of the POV Pick-Up Station is Building 35, CONN Barracks, Schweinfurt. The following documents are required to pick up your vehicle: (1)copy of PCS orders with all amendments, if applicable; (2)USAREUR Driver's Certificate; (3)Original DD Form 788 POV Shipping Document; (4)Proof of POV Insurance (double white insurance card); (5)Valid Identification Card or Passport; (6)License Plates; (7)5 day Registration (title or CONUS registration required); and (8)warning triangle and first aid kit with surgical gloves.

It is the sponsor's responsibility to coordinate with their Base Support Battalion (BSB) Transportation Office and verify that the POV has arrived at the processing site. Sponsors should pick up their POV within 10 days after their arrival or upon notification of delivery to the site. Commanders will be notified in such cases when sponsors fail to comply with the ten (10) day storage limit.

Sponsors should pick up license plates and 5 day registration from the Vehicle Registration Office before picking up the vehicle from the Consolidated

POV processing site. Sponsors must have the following documents in order to obtain the plates and temporary registration: USAREUR Driver's Certificate, AE Form 190-1aa (Request for Registration), Double White Insurance Card, Check or Money Order, Valid ID Card, Power of Attorney, if applicable, and Proof of Ownership (Title or most recent CONUS registration).

<b>Name:</b> POV Pick-Up Station, Schweinfurt
<b>City:</b> 09033
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-9721-803618
<b>Comments:</b> Hours of operation: Monday through Friday 0800-1600; Closed German and American Holidays NOTE: When residing in Bamberg, all POV's are shipped to Conn Barracks in Schweinfurt. You must call and schedule an appointment prior to picking up your POV.

## POV Out-Bound Shipments

When shipping a POV keep these things in mind: 1. The appointment for shipping a POV is usually made the same time as the personal property shipment. POVs can be shipped any weekday except German and American Holidays.

2. The Transportation Office will issue paperwork and arrange a drop-off date as early as the next day, as long as the car is clean and ready for the inspection in Schweinfurt.

3. After paperwork is done the soldier will be given paperwork for a catalytic converter test or emissions test (to be done at Vehicle Inspection Point, Bldg. 7102).

4. Transportation Motor Pool has established a shuttle bus to and from the POV shipping point, leaving Schweinfurt's Conn Barracks, Bldg. 35 at 1100 am on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

**REQUIRED PAPERWORK FOR SHIPPING A POV:** a) Eight copies of orders, b)USAREUR Registration, c) All shipping documents pertaining to the vehicle. Examples: 1) If POV was shipped originally from the States you need Form 788 or other proof of Stateside Registration, 2) If POV came from AAFES, Bill of Sale or 3) If POV was shipped originally from the States and dependents do not have shipping documents, they must contact Vehicle Registration in Heidelberg (DSN: 70-6869 or Commercial 06221-57-6869 or from the States 011-49-6221-57-6869).

## POV Claims

<b>Name:</b> POV Claims (Bamberg Law Center)
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7000
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8411
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-8412
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8411
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-8412
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Wednesday & Friday 0700-1200, 1300-1400 & Thursday 1300-1500 Closed USAREUR training and American holidays  <b>CLAIMS OFFICE</b> The Claims office offers assistance with POV damage claims.

## Pet Boarding/Kennels

<b>Name:</b> Bamberg Tierheim (Animal Shelter)
<b>Address:</b> Gundelsheimer Str. 110
<b>City:</b> Bamberg 96052
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-62492
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 0800-1200, 1300-1600, Saturday 0800-1300  <b>ANIMAL SHELTER</b> The Bamberg Tierheim provides some kennel services. Prices depend on the size of the animal. If, for some reason, you cannot keep your pet, please check with the local shelter, DON'T ABANDON IT!!! Animals must have current shot records and get along with other animals for the Tierheim to adopt it.

<b>Name:</b> Kennel
<b>Address:</b> 25R Romerreuth Strasse
<b>City:</b> Erlangen 91056
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-9131-993267
<b>Comments:</b>  <b>KENNEL</b> This kennel is for dogs only.

## Pet Licensing

Pets must be registered within two weeks of arrival in country. You may register your pet at the Bamberg Veterinary Clinic. SEE Veterinary Services

## Pet Quarantines

There is no quarantine for pets coming into Germany. There are certain rules and regulations however prohibiting residents from keeping dangerous dogs without a special permit.

## Veterinary Services

<b>Name:</b> Bamberg Veterinary Clinic
<b>Address:</b> Bldg 8531, Muna Kaserne
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7972
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7972
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Wednesday & Friday 0800-1600, Thursday 0800-1500, Closed 1130-1300 for lunch & American Holidays  <b>BAMBERG VETERINARY CLINIC</b> The Bamberg Vet Clinic is now open and accepting appointments. Services available include, but are not limited to: annual vaccinations, lymes and feline leukemia vaccinations, health certificates, sick call, flea and tick prevention and pet registration.

## Pet Transportation

USEFUL INFORMATION: \* Avoid shipping pets as excess luggage in order to eliminate the risks of loss or misrouting. \* For your pets comfort, we suggest you bring a small blanket or cushion with the scent of the family in the bottom of the travel kennel. \* Also you may bring a small toy or favorite treat for your pet's flight. \* Tranquilizers are normally not necessary; only if your pet is quite hyperactive. Please inquire with your vet when obtaining your pet's health-certificate. \* If your pet has a SAME DAY flight just feed half the amount of food, but give plenty of water.

<b>Name:</b> Pet Air
<b>Address:</b> 6000 Frankfurt Airport-Cargo Center, Rm 5142
<b>City:</b> Frankfurt 60528
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-69-151-8195
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Sunday 0700-1500  <b>PET AIR</b> Pet Air is a Worldwide Pet Shipping company. Pet Air takes care of all flight arrangements, daily departures, same day arrivals, boarding service, daily flights to over 200 U.S. airports, daily flights to most Canadian airports and pick-up service in Nuernberg, Schweinfurt, Heidelberg, Ramstein, Baden-Baden and all over Germany.

<b>Name:</b> Transportation Office
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7109
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7774
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-8452
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7774
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-8452
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Wednesday & Friday 0730-1200, 1230-1600, Thursday 1300-1600, Closed German and American holidays  <b>TRANSPORTATION OFFICE</b> The Transportation Office can arrange your pet's flight along with yours when you PCS from Warner Barracks.

## PCS Reporting Procedures

If you have orders bringing you to Bamberg, Germany you will either fly commercially into Frankfurt International Airport or via MAC flight to Rhein Main Air Base. If you fly commercially you will have to catch a shuttle bus at no cost from Frankfurt airport to Rhein Main. If you fly on a MAC flight you will fly directly into the 64th Replacement and report in. 64th Replacement will give you orders bringing you directly to Bamberg. Once you have inprocessed with them you may either catch the shuttle bus to Bamberg or you may get a letter of exception to policy from 64th stating that you have made your own arrangements to travel to Bamberg via your sponsor. However, before you decide to make special arrangements make sure that you report to 64th Replacement and get the letter that will tell you when and where you need to report at your new duty station. If you choose to take the bus to Bamberg you will leave 64th Replacement around

1300 and arrive in Bamberg between 1600 and 1700. Once you arrive in Bamberg you will be let off the bus at the Welcome Center which is the Army Community Services building. The shuttle bus between Bamberg and Rhein Main does not run on weekends or American holidays. There is no cost involved with riding the shuttle bus, however you must be able to show your military I.D. card. Once you have unloaded your bags from the bus you will be greeted by a sponsor from your unit. You will then be welcomed to Warner Barracks by Central Processing Staff and the following paperwork will be gathered: 1 copy of orders, 201 file, DA 31, Promotion Packet, Medical Records, Education Record, Finance Suspense Packet, Dental Records, Complete Orders and Veterinary Records, if applicable. This orientation takes approximately twenty minutes. The soldier will then be released to the unit for the remainder of the day and also the following day. On the second full day in Bamberg the soldier is required to report to the ACS building at 0800. From there a one-day inprocessing begins at 0800 until 1600. You will inprocess with all of the following agencies that apply to you; personnel, transportation, medical, dental, finance and housing. No matter what day of the week that you arrive you will begin five days of training at the Inprocessing Training Center (ITC) on the following Monday after inprocessing at the ACS building. Once you have finished ITC you will begin German Headstart, another five-day course. This class will teach you the basic necessities about Germany. Upon completion of ITC and German Headstart you will report to your unit to begin your tour of duty. Welcome to Bamberg, the community of excellence and enjoy your tour. Service members must report in duty uniform.

<b>Name:</b> Central Processing Facility (In-Processing)
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7029
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7714
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7714
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0700-1700, Closed Federal holidays

## Separation Procedures

<b>Name:</b> Job Assistance Center & Army Career and Alumni Program(ACAP)
<b>Address:</b> 417th BSB, Unit 26124, Bldg. 60
<b>City:</b> Kitzigen, APO AE 09031
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-9321-702462
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 355-2462
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0800-1700  <b>JOB ASSISTANCE CENTER</b> The Job Assistance Center helps all ID Card holders who are trying to find a stateside job. They offer training, counseling, and workshops as well as resume classes. Note: You must attend workshops in order to use the equipment that they have available.  <b>ACAP</b> ACAP in Bamberg no longer exists. Soldiers wishing to use ACAP's services must call and schedule an appointment in the Kitzigen office. The ACAP office assists transitioning soldiers with their job search when leaving the military. ACAP holds resume writing classes, sponsors briefings from agencies able to assist you when leaving the military, and has up to date civilian job information. ACAP also holds workshops on the VA Certificate of Eligibility on how to secure a home loan. In addition, you will learn about the hidden costs of home ownership, the amount of income actually needed to secure your investment and other considerations that should be taken into account.

<b>Name:</b> Reserve Component Career Counselor
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7029
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7458/8461
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7458/8461
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Tuesday & Wednesday 0830-1600, Closed American Holidays  <b>RESERVE COMPONENT CAREER COUNSELOR</b> The Reserve Component Career Counselor is available for those individuals who are getting out of the military and would like to join the Guard or Reserves. You must be at least 90 days out from your ETS date or have just received your orders. Please bring with you the following: Re-enlistment Data File, 2-1 and 2a, Physical Exam records and orders.

## Billeting

<b>Name:</b> Bamberg Inn (Billeting)
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7678
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-1700
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-37957
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-1700
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0800-1730, Saturday & Sunday 1030-1430; Closed on American Holidays  <b>BAMBERG INN</b> Billeting facilities are for PCS and TDY personnel. Visiting relatives or travelers are housed on a space available basis. There are 30 rooms, each with a refrigerator, color TV, VCR, cribs, irons, ironing boards and alarm clock radio. Housekeeping service is Monday through Friday. There is a vending room and laundry room. There are 3 mini suites for 0-4 and above and 1 DV/VIP suite for 0-6 and above. Call for rates. Check in time is 1400 and check out time is Monday through Friday, 1000 and Saturday & Sunday, 1030.

## Unaccompanied PCS

SEE PCS Reporting Procedures

## Support Services

### Support Services Overview

Army Community Services (ACS) should be one of your first stops after arriving on post. ACS is here for everyday problems and in times of crisis. Please don't hesitate to use our programs or facilities. Remember, you don't have to be in trouble in order to benefit from the many services that we have available.

## Family Centers

<b>Name:</b> Army Family Team Building
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, ATTN: AETV-WG-BJ (AFTB)
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8487
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7777
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Flexible, please call for times  <b>ARMY FAMILY TEAM BUILDING</b> This program is designed to improve personal and family preparedness and self-reliance through educational courses. The program consists of three levels. Level I is designed for new spouses with 0-5 years experience with the military. The goal here is to introduce family members to the army and military way of life. Level II is designed for spouses who have been associated with the Army 5-10 years, and who are interested in holding leadership positions. Level III is designed for spouses who wish to gain advance leadership skills.

<b>Name:</b> Outreach Program
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, ATTN: Outreach Program
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8547
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-9547
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Thursday 0800-1630, Friday 0800-1430; Closed German & Federal Holidays  <b>OUTREACH PROGRAM</b> The Outreach Program reserves the Army Community Services Resource Center for use by family support groups and organizations.

<b>Name:</b> Parents Together
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, ATTN: AETV-WG-BJ (FAP)
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7777
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7777
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Flexible, please call for times  PARENTS TOGETHER Parents Together is a class that covers four different subjects: Parenting Teens, Parenting 6-12 year olds, Parenting 0-6 year olds and Love & Logic. These classes show different parenting styles and new parenting techniques. Once a month a guest speaker will discuss different topics. All classes offer limited free childcare.

<b>Name:</b> People Encouraging People (PEP)
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, ATTN: AETV-WG-BJ (PEP/FAP)
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7777
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7777
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Flexible, please call for times  PEOPLE ENCOURAGING PEOPLE (PEP) PEP is a monthly prevention program under the Family Advocacy Program. It is a fun-filled, five-day orientation program that provides spouses with the opportunity to learn about community resources and the German culture while developing friendships. A tour of the downtown area and the local German hospital are taken within the four days. Limited child care is available for ages 6 weeks to 5 years.

<b>Name:</b> Stress Management
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, ATTN: AETV-WG-BJ (FAP)
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7777
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7777
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Flexible, please call for times  STRESS MANAGEMENT This program is for individual, group and classroom sessions on Stress Management, family violence and anger control for soldiers, family members and civilian employees.

### Information and Referral

Information, Referral and Follow-Up Program provides information regarding military and civilian community resources and referral to appropriate agencies. Whenever you have a question about an ACS program or need post information, make our office your first stop.

<b>Name:</b> Information, Referral & Follow-Up Program
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, ATTN: AETV-WG-BJ (ACS)
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7777
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7777
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0730-1630, Closed on Federal Holidays



## Financial Assistance Programs

<b>Name:</b> Consumer Affairs and Financial Assistance Program
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, ATTN: AETV-WG-BJ (CAFAP)
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7777
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7777
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<p><b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday - Friday 0730-1630, Closed for lunch &amp; Federal Holidays</p> <p>CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM CAFAP offers budget counseling, consumer assistance, debt liquidation, financial education and transition assistance. A financial counselor will meet with the soldier and spouse to discuss the management of their personal finances.</p> <p>Budget Counseling: A financial analysis is completed to determine the household's monthly expenses. The family is given information on developing a spending plan, managing personal finances and methods to track spending. A budget is then developed for the family.</p> <p>Debt Liquidation: This program is for individuals who are experiencing problems making their monthly credit payments. Creditors are contacted after a financial analysis is completed to arrange for pay adjustments. The client can then make feasible payments that are agreeable with the creditor. Clients can be terminated for not complying with program regulations.</p> <p>Consumer Assistance: Assistance is also provided in solving disputes between the client and local or economy merchants. Free translation of telephone bills, utility bills, traffic tickets and other local bills is available.</p> <p>Financial Education: A financial educator is available to teach the following classes: Basic Financial Education, Budgeting and Credit Management, Credit Card Management, and Checkbook Management. The Checkbook Management class is mandatory for persons whose check cashing privileges have been suspended.</p> <p>Transition Assistance: This program explores financial worries for soldiers leaving military service. Housing expenses, debt management as</p>

well as investment options and VA benefits are discussed. A counselor is available for private transition appointments.

REMEMBER: You don't have to be in financial trouble to use the services offered by CAFAP.

## Emergency Assistance

<b>Name:</b> American Red Cross
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7029, Room 120
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7785
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7785
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<p><b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0800-1600, Closed American Holidays</p> <p>AMERICAN RED CROSS The following are services offered through the American Red Cross.</p> <p>Reporting and Communication: Verification of emergencies in the United States is provided to commanders to determine leave status. Verification of a problem can also be requested by a family member when he/she is unable to contact family at home or when more details are needed. This service is provided 24 hours daily, 365 days a year.</p> <p>Health &amp; Safety Courses: Monthly CPR and First Aid courses are offered to the public. Courses in parenthood preparation, parenting skills, water safety and baby-sitting are available on an as-needed basis. There is normally a small fee for course materials prior to enrolling.</p> <p>Please ensure that in the event of an emergency, your family back home knows how to reach you. Both the sponsor's and the spouse's family should know the soldier's complete name, rank, social security number and unit address. This information should be taken to the Red Cross Office nearest your family so that messages can be sent to verify any emergencies. You can pick up the forms at the Red Cross Office. Take the time to do this; you never know when an emergency will occur. To reach the American Red Cross after duty hours call Stuttgart at: 011-49-711-7292059</p>

<b>Name:</b> Army Emergency Relief
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, ATTN: AETV-WG-BJ (ACS)
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7777
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7777
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0730-1630, closed for lunch and Federal Holidays  ARMY EMERGENCY RELIEF (AER) The primary mission of AER is to provide emergency financial assistance to soldiers and their family members. Assistance is provided as either an interest free loan, a grant, or a combination loan/grant, whichever is most appropriate based upon the applicant's financial situation. Types of assistance available through AER are: rent, required travel, food, essential POV, utilities, non-receipt of pay or lost of funds, medical/hospital expenses and funeral expenses.

## Family Advocacy

Family Advocacy provides awareness and gives assistance to soldiers and family members who find themselves in abusive situations. Information on prevention of abuse is also available through Family Advocacy. The Foster Care Program which is designed to provide alternative living arrangements on a temporary basis to children in emergency situations falls under Family Advocacy.

<b>Name:</b> Family Advocacy Program
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, ATTN: AETV-WG-BJ (FAP)
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7777
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7777
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Thursday 0730-1630, Friday 0730-1430, Closed American Holidays

## Single Member Services

<b>Name:</b> BOSS Program
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7047
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8837/7450
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-37440
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8837/7450
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Sunday 1200-2000, Wednesday Closed, American Holidays 1000-1800  BOSS Program The Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers (BOSS) is for single and geographically single soldiers only. Some of the benefits of BOSS membership include, discounts on BOSS sponsored trips, discounts on shows at the Entertainment Center and much more. Membership card is \$10.00. BOSS has meetings currently every third Thursday. For more detailed information SEE RECREATION OPPORTUNITIES listed under Cultural Attractions

## Support Groups

The Family Center, Community Counseling Center, and Social Work Services, provide for a wide variety of support for our military families. For more information on these services SEE Family Advocacy, Drug and Alcohol and State and Community Social Service Agencies (UNDER LOCAL COMMUNITY).

## Morale, Welfare, and Recreation

The Morale, Welfare and Recreation on Warner Barracks has a variety of exciting activities available to active duty soldiers, family members and DOD civilians. Everyone is encouraged to join in on the fun and adventure by participating in organized sporting events, outdoor recreation, entertainment, crafts and many other enriching programs. For more information SEE Recreation Opportunities (UNDER LOCAL COMMUNITY).

<b>Name:</b> Library
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7047
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-1740
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-31947
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-1740
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Friday through Monday 1100-1700, closed Tuesdays and American Holidays, Wednesday 1100-1900 & Thursday 1100-2000  LIBRARY The library features services such as books, foreign language materials, US newspapers, magazines, a professional military reading area, music CDs, tapes, CD-Rom Newsbank, Federal Tax Forms, USAREUR Driver's Manuals, paperback swap shelf and internet access. You must obtain a library card in order to check out items.

<b>Name:</b> MWR Office
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7089
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8806
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-31947
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8806
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0730-1200, 1300-1700, closed American Holidays  MWR OFFICE The Director of Community Affairs (DCA) advises and assists the Base Support Battalion (BSB) Commander in all matters pertaining to base operations support, administrative services, NAF activities, MWR support activities, club management, Army Community Services, equal opportunity and private organizations. They are responsible for all the programs designed to enhance soldiers and family members' morale and promote readiness.

<b>Name:</b> Recycling Center
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 71006
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7748
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7748
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: open 24 hours a day RECYCLING CENTER Our Recycling Center is very user friendly. The Recycling Center recycles paper, cardboard, styrofoam, non-op electrical appliances, furniture, tires, scrap metal, glass, cans, batteries and household hazardous waste.

### Chapel Services and Programs

<b>Name:</b> Chapel Services
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7040
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-1570
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7325
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-1570
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7325
<b>Comments:</b>  SUNDAY SERVICES 0915: Catholic Service; Church of Christ Service 0930: Protestant Religious Education; Church of God in Christ Religious Education 1100: Lutheran Service; Collective Protestant Worship Service; Catholic Religious Education 1245: Grupo Hispano Pentecostal Service; Church of God in Christ Services 1300: New Life Baptist Sunday School 1500: New Life Baptist Service  WEEKDAYS Monday - Thursday, 1200: Catholic Mass

## Drug and Alcohol

<b>Name:</b> Community Counseling Center
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg 7251
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-1710/8779
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7964
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-1710/8779
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7964
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Wednesday, Friday 0730-1200, 1300-1630 Closed Federal Holidays  COMMUNITY COUNSELING CENTER (CCC) The CCC administers the Alcohol and Drug Prevention Control Program. Alcohol and drug abuse counseling for soldiers and family members is provided through the CCC. Please call the Community Counseling Center for more information about Gamblers Anonymous, and Smoking Cessation.

## Legal Assistance

<b>Name:</b> Legal Assistance
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7000
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8832
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-8412
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8832
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-8412
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0800-1200, 1300-1700, closed German & American Holidays  LEGAL ASSISTANCE The Law Center offers complete legal assistance, such as powers of attorney, notarizations, affidavits, preparation of wills, advice and assistance concerning legal matters to eligible ID card holders at no cost.

<b>Name:</b> Military Justice
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7000
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7549
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-8412
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7549
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-8412
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: 0900-1200,1300-1700  MILITARY JUSTICE Military Justice handles Article 15s, Chapter Eliminations, Court-Martials and General Officer Letter of Reprimands.

## Child And Teen Services

### Child and Teen Services Overview

The following Supervision of Children policy applies to personnel, civilian or military, assigned, attached or otherwise present in the 279th BSB area of control. Area of control refers to those areas the Department of the Army has a right to maintain order and discipline over, such as military housing and government rental housing (GRHP), as well as all military installations in the Bamberg area. Violation of this policy may result in disciplinary action under the Uniform Code of Military Justice, as well as adverse administrative action to include, but not limited to, loss of logistical support, advance return of dependents and loss of command sponsorship.

REFERENCES: AR 608-18, Family Advocacy Program and AR 608-10, Child Development Services

DEFINITIONS: a. Child(ren): Any person who has not reached their 18th birthday. b. Adult Guardian: A person, 18 years of age or older, who has been appointed, either by law or by permission of the parent, to take care of the child or adolescent in the parent's absence. c. Authorized Caregiver: A sponsor, parent, certified Family Child Care (FCC) provider, adolescent babysitter (12 years of age or older), Child Development Center, School Age Services Program, Supplemental Services Program or Youth Services Programs. An adult guardian may also be an authorized caregiver consistent with the provisions of AR 608-10. d. Supervision: Actual presence of a parent, adult guardian or authorized caregiver in the immediate vicinity of a child, so that the caregiver is able to immediately respond to the needs of the child. Short absences (not to exceed five

minutes) are acceptable, provided that appropriate measures are taken to reduce health and safety risks to the child during that absence. Examples of appropriate supervision include: leaving a 2 year old in playpen while the father goes to a basement laundry room, leaving a small child in a child safety seat while the mother retrieves mail from a unit mail room, leaving an 8 year old in a parked vehicle to drop off a video or obtain cash from an ATM, using an electronic baby monitor to listen to a child in another room. Paragraph 2 of this policy letter also provides specific guidelines for appropriate supervision.

**SUPERVISION OF CHILDREN POLICY** (Policy Number 99-22): 1. The BSB Commander is responsible for promoting the health, safety and welfare of all who live within the 279th BSB's jurisdiction. Children who are left without responsible supervision are susceptible to harm, which all too often produces tragic results. Parents are responsible for ensuring their children are properly supervised and safeguarded. Military Police and Social Work Service (SWS) are required to investigate incidents which violate this policy letter on behalf of the Commander. The Department of the Army, through the Family Advocacy Program, aims to prevent incidents of child abuse and to protect those who are victims of abuse. Child neglect is a category of child abuse. Parents and guardians are guilty of neglect if they fail to adequately provide for the basic needs of their children, such as food, shelter, medical and dental care, education, supervision and safety. To ensure that neglect does not occur all parents/guardians must adhere to the following standards:

a. Children up to age 5 may not be left home alone. They must be under constant supervision, within sight or voice range at all times, both inside and outside. Supervision must be provided by a parent or authorized caregiver.

b. Children ages 5-9 may not be left home alone. They may walk unaccompanied to and from school, if they live within an appropriate walking distance. They may be unattended on neighborhood playgrounds provided a parent or authorized caregiver is present at home. Parent or caregiver must physically check on a child playing outside unattended at least once every hour.

c. Children ages 10-11 may not be left home alone for more than two hours at a time. The child must know how to contact a parent or authorized

caregiver at all times. Children will not be left alone overnight.

d. Children aged 12 and older may be left to their own supervision for up to 9 hours. There must be telephone contact at least every three hours between the child and parent, or authorized caregiver. A child must know how to contact a parent or adult guardian at all times. Children will not be left alone overnight.

e. Children under the age of 16 shall be inside their own or someone else's quarters (with parental consent) between 2400 and 0500 Friday through Saturday and between 2200 and 0500 Sunday through Thursday. During periods when school is not in session, curfew will be 2400 to 0500 daily.

f. Curfew for children ages 16-17 will be from 2400-0500 daily.

g. Exceptions to curfew hours will be granted for children returning home immediately after sanctioned functions, such as school dances, athletic events and Youth Services activities.

h. No child nine years of age or younger may be left unsupervised in a motor vehicle. Conditions of the vehicle must provide a safe environment for the child, to include the temperature in the car and no keys being left in the ignition.

2. Every member of this community has the responsibility to report suspected child abuse or neglect to the Military Police (MP) at 0951-300-8700/7770 or DSN 469-8700/7770. When children are determined to be unsupervised, the MPs will be called. The MPs and SWS will assess the incident and present it to the Family Advocacy Program Case Review Committee (CRC) when the report is deemed credible. The CRC will then determine whether an incident of neglect has taken place, IAW AR 608-18.

3. Children develop at different rates. Some children may require more or less supervision than indicated above for children of the same age. However, parents, guardians and authorized caregivers are required to follow the above standards, unless an exception has been approved through the BSB. Any other deviation from these standards will be a basis for investigation of potential child neglect.

### **New Parent Program**

First Steps program offers support and information with a network of services including: Personal visits by trained volunteers, a 20 page parenting guide, and

a developmental calendar that features growth and development milestones for infants. First Steps volunteers will share tips on how to take care of personal needs after delivery, getting to know your baby, how to include your baby in everyday loving care, helping older siblings to adjust, managing the baby blues and where to find help when it's needed. This program also sponsors quite a few classes. Some of these include M.O.M (Meeting other Mommies) and Mother's Support Group. M.O.M meets every Monday from 1300-1500 at the ACS Resource Center, Bldg. 7354. The Mother's Support Group meets the first Wednesday of every month from 1830-2000 at the ACS Resource Center, Bldg. 7354.

<b>Name:</b> First Steps
<b>Address:</b> 279th Base Support Battalion, Unit 27535, ATTN: First Steps
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7622;
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7622
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0900-1630, Closed American Holidays

### Child Care Programs - on Installation

All Child Development Services (CDS) programs may be used by children, 6 weeks to 12 years, of active duty military and DOD civilians. Programs are offered for 0-5 year old at the Child Development Center (CDC), Building 7112. These include full-day child care, part-day preschool and hourly child care. The School Age Services (SAS) program at the Elementary School provides services before and after school and the summer. SAS provides children positive individual and group experiences through educational and recreational activities that compliment the school day. The program provides children opportunities to learn more about existing interest and skills.

Sponsors must ensure that current immunizations, CDS registration card, CDS health assessment, CDS child and family profile information and CDS sponsor/program agreement information are on file for each child or family. Full-day child care fees range from \$167 to \$375 per month; Part-day preschool fees range from \$27 to \$150 a month; and SAS fees range from \$32 to \$188 a month. Hourly child care fees are \$2.50. \*PLEASE NOTE THAT

THERE IS A WAITING LIST FOR SERVICES AT THIS TIME.

<b>Name:</b> Child Development Services Registration
<b>Address:</b> 279th Base Support Battalion, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7029
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7716/8584
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7778
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7716/8584
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7778
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0730-1200, 1300-1600, Closed American Holidays

### Child Care Programs - Community

There are several programs on the resource and referral list for child care programs off the installation. Most of these programs serve children 18 months through twelve years of age and offer full-day, part-day, school-age, and hourly child care services. Family Child Care providers take care of children in their home on a full-day or hourly basis. The FCC Office has a listing of providers.

<b>Name:</b> Family Child Care
<b>Address:</b> 279th Base Support Battalion, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7340
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8660; DSN 469-8660
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-300-7484
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8660
<b>DSN FAX:</b> 469-7484
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 0745-1645

### Things To Do - Clubs and Social

SEE Youth Centers and For Teens Only

### Things To Do - Recreation and Sports

SEE Youth Centers and For Teens Only

### Schools

SEE EDUCATION

### School Age Care

The School Age Services (SAS) Program at the CDC provides services before and after school and the summer. SAS provides children with positive experiences in individual and group activities that compliment rather than duplicate the school day. The

School Age Services Program is for youth in grades kindergarten through fifth.

### Religious Programs

Warner Barracks' religious activities are broad based. The Chapel sponsors a vacation Bible school every summer along with the year round youth choirs and youth groups.

### Special Events

The Youth Center and Teen Center offer exciting year round activities for all ages! The schedule of activities, trips and events change frequently. Stop by the Youth Center for a current calendar of events.

### Sponsorship and Support

Youth Sponsorship is provided by age and interest. Sponsorship is a great way to make new friends. To obtain a sponsorship request form write: Commander 279th Base Support Battalion, Unit 27535, ATTN: Youth Services APO, AE 09139 or call DSN 469-7469 or CIV 011-49-951-300-7469.

### Youth Employment

Employment opportunities for youths are limited. There is a summer hire program available on Warner Barracks and there are job opportunities through AAFES and the Commissary.

### Youth Centers

A wealth of creative, supervised youth activities are available through the Youth Center for youths ages 6-18. The activities are designed to be fun, promote physical fitness and develop lifelong recreation skills. As an added benefit, youth programs may also help young people overcome the stress associated with relocating and adjusting to new friends and peer groups.

Some of the activities offered to YS members are: \* Sports: Basketball, baseball, football, soccer, and volleyball. \* Recreation: Pool, ping pong, futsal, cheerleading, roller-skating, ice skating, gymnastics, and much more. \* Other: Dances, lock-ins, arts and crafts, etc.

<b>Name:</b> Youth Services
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535 Bldg 7669
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-7469
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-31947
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-7469
<b>Comments:</b> Hours: Monday through Friday 1430-1800

### For Teens Only

For more information on this subject:

Military Teens on the Move

<http://dticaw.dtic.mil/mtom/>

The Warner Barracks Teen Program has taken a different view to encourage youth involvement. Our programs are designed to attract teens by presenting them with the challenge of going beyond program attendance and participation. Teen programs require commitment and responsibility. Through participating in teen programs, youths can create opportunities to discover new dimensions in their communities and within themselves. The Teen Lounge is for ages 15 through 18. They have a variety of activities for teens as well as a skating rink. The schedule of activities, trips, and events changes frequently. Stop by the Teen Lounge for a current calendar of events.

<b>Name:</b> Teen Lounge
<b>Address:</b> 279th BSB, Unit 27535, Bldg. 7040
<b>City:</b> 09139
<b>Phone:</b> 011-49-951-300-8557
<b>FAX:</b> 011-49-951-31947
<b>DSN Phone:</b> 469-8557
<b>Comments:</b> Summer Hours: Monday closed. Tuesday and Wednesday 1500- 2100, Thursday 1500- 2200, Friday 1500- 1800 and weekends only when special events are scheduled.  The Teen Lounge has moved to its new location. Many new improvements that have taken place. This is a great place for teens to just hang out and to get to know other teens.

## Survival Tips For First Termers

### Survival Tips for First Termers Overview

Army life presents many challenges for families. It's not always easy to juggle military duties, personal

duties and financial obligations while attending to the needs and wants of immediate and extended family. Military families are very special and are admired by many. Listed below are some "Survival Tips" to help you and your family as you face the challenges and opportunities of the military lifestyle.

## **Before You Move**

Any PCS move costs money. Experts suggest saving three to six months of pay for emergencies. Getting a sponsor at the new post is beneficial. He or she can probably answer many of the questions you have concerning your new duty station.

Before you leave contact the Army Community Service (ACS), Relocation Assistance Program at the new post and ask for a Welcome Packet, phone directory and maps. If your spouse is job hunting contact the Family Member Employment Assistance Program (FMEAP). FMEAP will help your spouse apply for positions in your new community.

Find out your new mailing address even if it's only your new unit address. You'll need a forwarding address to leave with the post office or Postal Service Center, as well as with your old unit. Send out change of address letters to credit card companies, loan companies, magazines, banks and insurance companies. Go through your address book, your bills and financial papers from the past couple of months. Make out a list of company addresses, telephone numbers and account numbers. This will be useful if your mail is delayed.

Gather all important papers, records, ID cards and wills. Keep them handy throughout the move. Your children's school records should be hand carried or sent to their new school. Make sure you have your medical records from any civilian doctor. Carry all medical records with you especially if special needs must be met enroute.

Talk to the finance center on post. They can tell you how much travel pay you will receive. They also have information on dislocation and temporary allowances. For overseas family members, travel must be approved through Personnel channels prior to travel. NOTE: If you get married before you PCS, you MUST inform your Commander and follow the procedures exactly as you are given them. The military will not pay for travel and housing for your spouse if you do not follow proper procedures.

Do some spring cleaning! Get rid of all those things you no longer want or need. You'll only have to

unpack them at the other end, and if you are over your weight allowance, you'll have to pay for additional shipping.

Talk to the housing office about temporary lodging after you clear your current quarters and before you actually depart for your new duty station.

## **After You Arrive**

Once you arrive in Bamberg contact your sponsor. They can take you to the finance office and ACS for community information and assistance. Spouses are encouraged to attend the Newcomers Orientation and the PEP (People Encouraging People) Program. You will learn all about the programs available to you and your family on Warner Barracks. (SEE Family Centers UNDER SUPPORT SERVICES) If you are in need of baby items, pots and pans or cooking utensils visit the lending closet. (For more information SEE Relocation Assistance UNDER RELOCATION SERVICES) Contact your Family Housing Office for on-post as well as off-post housing. (For more information SEE HOUSING) Notify transportation of your arrival, so you can arrange for delivery of household goods. (For more information SEE Household Good In-Bound UNDER RELOCATION SERVICES)

## **Reporting Procedures**

SEE PCS Reporting- in Procedures UNDER RELOCATION SERVICES

## **Travel Planning**

Advance pay should not be used unless it is absolutely essential. You will have to pay it back by monthly deductions from your pay. Reservations at the Bamberg Inn are accepted 30 days in advance for personnel who are PCSing in or out of Warner Barracks. SEE Housing and Billeting

## **Vehicle Ownership**

For more information on this subject:  
European International road signs and conventions  
<http://www.travlang.com/signs>

Car insurance rates in Germany are often double that of the rates you pay in the United States. You may want to check with your insurance agency in the States to see if they will cover you while in Germany. Once you have adequate liability coverage, the following strategies can be used to save money on auto insurance: take as large a deductible as you can afford on collision and comprehensive coverage; if your car is over five years old and paid in full



consider dropping collision and comprehensive coverage; if you have adequate health and liability insurance you will probably find that your uninsured motorist coverage duplicates the protection you already have; don't purchase optional coverages that may offer few or rarely used benefits; take advantage of any discounts for which you are eligible and shop around since premiums for identical coverage vary widely from company to company. Make sure you have a copy of the USAREUR Reg 190-1, Excerpt stating the general requirements for mechanical standards on your vehicle. It also states your responsibility when a POV fails inspection. The USAREUR Reg 190-1, Excerpt can be found in all Warner Barracks Welcome Packets.

## Housing and Billeting

Soldiers desiring to apply for on-post housing must do so within 30 days of their arrival to Warner Barracks to receive eligibility. The soldier's eligibility date will be back dated to the date of departure from their last permanent duty station. If the application is made after the initial 30 days, the

eligibility date will be the date of the application. A copy of PCS orders must be presented with the application for housing. Only the soldier can apply for and place their name on the waiting list for on-post housing, however; spouses can be authorized to accept and sign for housing. (SEE HOUSING and Billeting UNDER RELOCATION SERVICES)

## Money Matters

Whenever you PCS, you are going to be faced with some unexpected expenses. Some examples are: travel costs such as tickets, gasoline, food and lodging; deposits; closing costs if buying and selling a new house; temporary lodging at the old post and at the new post; replenishing your food supply at the new duty station and household incidentals. Adjusting to one paycheck until your spouse finds a new job can also affect your finances. Meeting with the financial consultant at ACS can help. A basic relocation plan should be drawn up to avoid severe financial problems during the move process. SEE Financial Preparedness (UNDER RELOCATION SERVICES)

## At A Glance

### Facility/Services Summary

<b>--Officer and Enlisted Population--</b>			
Active Duty Officer	284	Active Duty Warrant Officer	37
Guard Reserve Officer	3	Guard Reserve Warrant Officer	0
Retired (Officer and Enlisted)	120	Foreign Service Officers	0
Active Duty Enlisted	2171	Guard Reserve Enlisted	43
Foreign Service Enlisted	0		
<b>--Civilians--</b>			
Civil Service	126	Wage Grade	265
Non-Appropriated Funds	110	Family Members -on and off Installation-	3727
<b>--Family Services--</b>			
Family Centers	1	Teen Centers	2
Child Day Care	1	Family Child Care Certified Homes	15
Total Child Capacity	48	Total Child Capacity	112
Average Waiting List Time -Months-	3		
<b>--Other Services--</b>			
Commissary	1	Exchanges	1
Shoppettes	1	Gas Stations	1
Movie Theaters	1	Banks and Credit Unions	2
McDonalds/Burger King	2	Other i.e. Exchange concessionaires	3

## Housing Summary

<i>--Officer Housing--</i>			
Senior Officer Waiting	0	Senior Officer 3 Bed Room	0
Senior Officer 4 Bed Room	0	Senior Officer Other	0
Company Grade Officer Waiting	0	Company Grade Officer 2 Bed Room	0
Company Grade Officer 3 Bed Room	0	Company Grade Officer 4 Bed Room	0
Company Grade Officer Other	0	BOQ	17
<i>--Enlisted Housing--</i>			
Senior Enlisted Waiting	0	Senior Enlisted 3 Bed Room	0
Senior Enlisted 4 Bed Room	0	Senior Enlisted Other	0
Enlisted Waiting	0	Enlisted 2 Bed Room	0
Enlisted 3 Bed Room	0	Enlisted Other	0
BEQ	50	Transient Lodging Facilities	1

## Education Summary

<i>Name</i>	<i>Numbers</i>
Elementary School	1
Jr High/Middle School	1
High School	1

## Local Community Summary

<i>Type of Housing</i>	<i>Avg.</i>	<i>Low</i>	<i>High</i>
Apartment Rent	825	550	1250
House Rent	1126	985	1267
House Price - Single Family	0	0	0
Townhouse/Condominium Price	0	0	0

## Medical and Dental Summary

<b>--Medical Facilities--</b>					
Medical Treatment Facilities	Y	Number of Beds	0	Medical Clinic	1
Alcohol	N	Allergy	Y	Audiology	N
Cardiology	Y	Coronary care	N	Dermatology	N
Dietary	N	Emergency room	N	Endocrinology	Y
Family Practice	Y	General surgery	Y	Gynecology	Y
HIV Unit	N	Hematology	Y	Immunization	Y
Infect Disease	Y	Intensive Care	Y	Laboratory	Y
Mental Health	N	Neonatal Intensive Care Unit	Y	Nuclear Medicine	Y
Nephrology	Y	Neurology	Y	Neurosurgery	N
Obstetrics	Y	Oncology	N	Ophthalmology	Y
Optometry	Y	Orthopedics	Y	Otolaryngology	Y
Pathology	N	Pediatrics	Y	Physical Therapy	Y
Podiatry	N	Primary Care	N	Radiology	N
Rheumatology	N	Urology	Y		
<b>--Dental Facilities--</b>					
Dental Clinics	1	Adolescent	N	Endodontics	Y
General Dentistry	Y	Oral Surgery	Y	Orthodontics	Y
Pedodontist	Y	Periodontics	Y		

## Relocation and Support Services Summary

<b>--Military Clubs--</b>			
Officers Club	1	Non-Commissioned Officers Club	1
Enlisted Club	0		
<b>--Recreation--</b>			
Arts and Crafts	1	Automobile Hobby Centers	1
Bowling Centers	1	Recreational Centers	1
Libraries	1	Music and Theater Locations	1
<b>--Physical Fitness/Sports--</b>			
9 Hole Golf Courses	1	18 Hole Golf Courses	0
Gyms/Physical Fitness Centers	2	Jogging Paths	1
Tennis Clubs/Courts	5	Tennis Courts - Lighted	1
Swimming Pools - Public	0		
<b>--Nature/Outdoor Activities--</b>			
Outdoor Recreation Centers	1	Campgrounds	0
Fishing Areas	0	Horse Stables	0

## **APPENDIX**

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